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- 1 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: We are now on the record.
- 2 My name is Michael Newell. I'm a
- ³ videographer for Golkow Litigation Services.
- 4 Today's date is January 25, 2019, and
- 5 the time is 9:07 a.m.
- 6 This video deposition is being held in
- 7 Chicago, Illinois, in the matter of National
- 8 Prescription Opiate Litigation for the Northern
- 9 District of Ohio, Eastern Division.
- The deponent today is Barbara Martin.
- 11 Will counsel please identify themselves.
- MR. MOUGEY: Peter Mougey with Levin
- 13 Papantonio for the Plaintiffs.
- MS. GARLOCK: Alexandra Garlock for the
- 15 Plaintiffs.
- MS. SCHNEEGAS: Karolynn Schneegas for the
- 17 Plaintiffs.
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- 20 MR. STANNER: Dan Stanner for McKesson.
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- 22 Health.
- MS. JOHANSEN: Sarah Johansen for
- 24 AmerisourceBergen Drug Corporation.

- Q. And in what kind of case?
- A. It was a pricing concern about 10 or 15

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³ years ago.

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- Q. When you say "a pricing concern," you
- ⁵ testified as a Walmart employee -- I'm sorry --
- 6 Walgreens employee?
 - A. Yes.
- 8 Q. And do you remember what the case was?
- 9 A. Not really. I was a very short
- 10 deposition, and I'm not even sure that it went to
- ¹¹ court.
- Q. And it was 10 or 15 years ago. Where
- 13 was the case?
- 14 A. It was local.
- O. It was here in Chicago?
- 16 A. Uh-huh.
- Q. Now, I asked you about testimony. Does
- 18 that include -- have you given any sworn statements
- to any regulators?
- 20 A. No.
- Q. Have you ever -- have you met with
- ²² regulators on behalf of Walgreens in relation to
- your capacity as a Walgreens employee?
- A. I'm not quite sure how to answer that.

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- 1 MR. ZHOU: Jason Zhou, Jones Day, for Walmart.
- 2 MS. MOUGEY: Katrina Mougey for Plaintiffs.
- 3 MR. MOUGEY: Is there anybody on the phone?
- 4 We got them.
- 5 MR. SWANSON: Who's on the phone?
- 6 MR. PRABUCKI: Ken Prabucki from Baker
- 7 Hostetler for the Endo Defendants.
- 8 MR. MANNIX: Paul Mannix with Marcus & Shapira
- 9 for HBC Services.
- MR. MARTUCCI: Anthony Martucci with Hahn,
- 11 Loeser & Parks for Mallinckrodt Pharmaceutical.
- 12 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: The Court Reporter today is
- 13 Corinne Marut and will now swear in the witness.
- 14 (WHEREUPON, the witness was duly
- sworn.)
- 16 BARBARA MARTIN,
- called as a witness herein, having been first duly
- 18 sworn, was examined and testified as follows:
- 19 EXAMINATION
- 20 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Good morning, Ms. Martin. My name is
- 22 Peter Mougey. I represent the Plaintiffs in this
- 23 case. Have you given testimony before?
- A. I did once before, yes.

- Page 13 ¹ So, I mean, if like I was a pharmacist when the
- ² state inspector came in, would that count for
- ³ anything?
- Q. That could. Why don't we -- so, you've
- ⁵ met with state inspectors that came in just to do
- 6 routine --
- A. Routine.
 - Q. -- audits?
- ⁹ A. Yeah, look at some paperwork.
- 10 Q. All right. Anything else?
 - A. No.

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- Q. Did you meet with any of the
- 13 representatives from the DEA in relation to the
- warrants served in the State of Florida on specific
- ¹⁵ pharmacies?
- ¹⁶ A. No.
 - Q. You didn't meet with any DEA
- 18 representatives in relation to the warrants served
- ¹⁹ on the Jupiter distribution center?
 - A. No.
- Q. Did you provide any written statements
- 22 to the regulators in response to the DEA's
- ²³ inquiries into Walgreens pharmacies and
- ²⁴ distribution centers?

- 1 A. No.
- 2 Q. In any capacity have you met with any
- ³ federal regulators, like the DEA, in relation to
- 4 any of Walgreens' business practices including
- ⁵ dispensing and distribution?
- A. No.
- Q. When I said "met with," I don't mean
- 8 just in person. I mean telephonically or via
- video. Anything along those lines?
- 10 A. No.
- 11 Q. One thing, kind of a little bit of the
- 12 lay of the land here. You've got a monitor in
- 13 front of you and the monitor will be the document
- 14 that I am referring to. I'll also hand you the
- 15 document so you have it in paper format in front of
- ¹⁶ you.
- 17 So, obviously feel free to review the
- 18 screen or the paper version, whichever you'd
- 19 prefer. Sometimes it's easy to look on the screen
- to show you where I am on the document. Okay?
- 21 A. All right.
- 22 Q. One thing I am 100% confident of, at
- 23 some point today you'll take a breath and I think
- ²⁴ you're finished and I'll continue with my next

- ¹ I graduated in '86.
 - Q. Okay. And the '85 internship I don't

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- ³ believe is on your resume, correct?
 - A. I probably thought it was irrelevant.
- ⁵ Sorry.

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- Q. It's irrelevant. But I just asked you
- do you recall if it was on your resume?
 - A. I don't remember.
- 9 Q. You don't remember. All right.
 - So, what I'd like you to do to start
- 11 this morning, over your period of time at
- Walgreens, is give me kind of a 30,000-foot view of
- 13 your different roles and, more specifically, where
- 14 they impacted suspicious order monitoring policy
- for Walgreens. Okay.
- Now, if I say "suspicious order
- monitoring policy," do you have an understanding of
- what that means?
- A. I wouldn't mind if you kind of clarified
- 20 it, so we are on the same page.
- Q. Actually, why don't you tell me what you
- 22 think suspicious order monitoring at Walgreens is
- from all of your various capacities. You tell me.
 - A. It would be a process put in place to

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- ¹ question. If at any point in time I interrupt you
- ² or that you're not finished, if you'd just tell me
- ³ and I'll stop and you can finish with your answer.
- 4 Okav?
- 5 A. Sounds good.
- 6 O. Pardon me?
- 7 A. Sounds good.
- 8 Q. Okay. Ms. Martin, you've been at
- ⁹ Walgreens as an employee in different capacities
- 10 since 1986, correct?
- 11 A. Actually 1985.
- Q. 1985. And that was -- this was your
- 13 first kind of real job, so to speak, after
- ¹⁴ finishing at undergrad, correct?
- 15 A. Yes.
- 16 Q. And I think you went to, was it Duquesne
- ¹⁷ for undergrad?
- 18 A. Duquesne University.
- 19 Q. You had your B.S. in pharmacy, correct?
- 20 A. Correct.
- 21 Q. First job at Walgreens was a staff
- 22 pharmacist, correct?
- 23 A. Well, going back to May of 1985, I was
- an intern. I didn't have my -- I didn't graduate.

- 1 monitor ordering for any type of unusual or
- ² potentially suspicious activity.
- Q. And that would include, but not limited
- ⁴ to, Schedule II and III narcotics, correct,
- ⁵ controlled substances?
- A. Not limited to but, yes, correct.
- Q. Yes, ma'am. And what we're here
- specifically today about is Schedule II, like
- OxyContin, and then hydrocodone, which was
- 10 Schedule III and then became Schedule II, correct?
- 11 A. Okav.
 - Q. So, the suspicious order monitoring
- policy, you referred to a process that's put in
- place to identify unusual or potential suspicious
- activity. Is that what your answer was?
- A. Yes. 16
- 17 Q. Now, would you please explain to me what
- you mean by "potential suspicious activity."
- 19 A. What I mean by that is it could be
- 20 something that looks like it's outside of a normal
- parameter, but there would be some logical and
- ²² justifiable reason for it to be outside of those
- 23 parameters.

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So, it's outside of normal parameter,

- ¹ but there may be a reason for being outside the
- ² parameter. Is that what you're saying?
- ³ A. Yes.
- Q. Okay. So, is it then suspicious and
- ⁵ then you figured out it's not -- there is a reason
- 6 and then it becomes not suspicious?
 - A. I think I used the word "potentially
- ⁸ suspicious."
- ⁹ Q. Oh. So, it's potentially suspicious.
- ¹⁰ So, it's outside the normal parameter. Would you
- 11 say it's fair to call that an outlier?
- ¹² A. Yes.
- Q. So, it's an outlier and then you do some
- 14 homework on it to see if there is a reason for it
- ¹⁵ being an outlier?
- ¹⁶ A. Correct.
- Q. All right. Now, when you use the words
- 18 "unusual," what's different about unusual as
- 19 compared to an outlier?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 21 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. I'm not sure there would be something
- ²³ different between outlier and unusual.
- 24 BY MR. MOUGEY:

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- Q. Okay. So, unusual is kind of the same
- $^{2}\,$ thing as potentially, potentially suspicious, or an
- 3 outlier?
- 4 A. Yes.
- ⁵ Q. All right. So, a process put in place
- 6 to find outliers or identify outliers, is that
- ⁷ fair, on the suspicious order monitoring policy?
- 8 A. Yes.
- 9 Q. Okay. Now, during your tenure from 1985
- 10 up until today, you've had various capacities at
- 11 Walgreens, correct?
- 12 A. Yes.
- Q. Anything from intern, staff pharmacist,
- 14 pharmacy manager, you worked in a department that
- 15 managed data for Walgreens, and then you went to
- 16 kind of an inventory or supply-type role, correct?
- 17 A. Yes.
- Q. And some of those roles touched on
- 19 suspicious order monitoring as you just defined it,
- ²⁰ a process to identify outliers, right?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 22 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. It was developed. It wasn't anything
- 24 part of my normal course of business when I first

- ¹ started in corporate.
- ² BY MR. MOUGEY:
- ³ Q. All right. So, when you say it was
- ⁴ developed, over time it progressed, is that fair?
- 5 Is that what you're saying?
- A. Yes. I was asked to take part in
- ⁷ different types of activities around ordering.
 - Q. So, help me -- that's what I want to
- ⁹ understand. Okay. If you would just help me
- ¹⁰ understand, as that process developed along the
- ¹¹ way, what your understanding of the process was,
- ¹² who participated in that process from Walgreens, if
- 13 you know, and then the modifications or the
- ¹⁴ developments along the way.
- Can you help me kind of put some meat on
- 16 the bones, so to speak, in that regard?
- 17 A. I'll try.
- Q. All right. Why don't we start off what
- 19 your first recollection is of Barbara Martin being
- 20 contacted in Walgreens and asked to participate in
- ²¹ suspicious order monitoring.
- A. That would have been during my corporate
- 23 time. I really wouldn't have been involved with
- ²⁴ anything like that while I was in the stores.
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- Q. Okay. So, during your corporate time,
- ² are you referring to your tenure in the department
- ³ that was managing some of the databases?
 - A. No. It was once I moved to inventory.
- Q. Once you moved to inventory, which is in
- 6 2007?
- A. If that's what my resume says, it's --
 - Q. Would it help if I put your resume in
- 9 front of you so you could kind of remember which --
- 10 let me hand you what we'll mark as Martin 1.
- 11 (WHEREUPON, a certain document was
- marked as Walgreens-Martin Exhibit
- No. 1: Resume and personnel file,
 - Barbara A. Martin; no Bates
- numbers.)
- 16 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. So what you have in front of you is
- 18 Martin 1.
- 19 A. Okay.
- Q. And I believe this is a copy of your
- 21 resume and then behind that is the -- is your
- ²² personnel file, but let's just start on the -- your
- 23 resume.

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Does this look like an accurate version

- 1 of your resume?
- 2 A. Yes.
- Q. Is this something that you put together?
- 4 A. Yes.
- ⁵ Q. Did you review it in preparation for
- 6 today?
- 7 A. No.
- 8 Q. So, your first page -- let's walk
- ⁹ through. Turn to the second page of it, and it
- 10 starts with your education, which we just went
- 11 through, Duquesne University, I think that's around
- 12 1985, you started as an intern at Walgreens. Do I
- 13 have that right?
- 14 A. Yes.
- Q. And your first role from '86 to '90 was
- ¹⁶ a staff pharmacist, correct?
- 17 A. Yes.
- Q. And then your second role was a pharmacy
- 19 manager and you were in that position for 14 or 15
- ²⁰ years, from 1990 to 2004, correct?
- 21 A. Yes.
- Q. And then you were the supervisor of the
- ²³ drug database from 2004 to 2007, correct?
- 24 A. Yes.

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- provide data to field leadership in various states
 regarding purchasing and dispensing of controlled
- ³ substances.
- 4 And then as we developed systems, I was
- 5 one of a number of different people, I can't
- 6 remember all the names, but I worked actively with
- ⁷ Loss Prevention. Marcie Ranick was one of the
- 8 people that I worked with. And she and I were
- ⁹ looking at reports on our system to see if we were
- 10 flagging the right types of orders or if we were
- 11 indiscriminately flagging orders.
- Q. Were those the two kind of broader
- 13 categories that you weren't sure that came first?
- 14 One was data to the field in various states
- 15 regarding purchasing/dispensing and, two, develop
- 16 systems with, and you included Loss Prevention and
- ¹⁷ Marcie Ranick, to look at reports that flagged to
- ¹⁸ determine if they were the right types of orders or
- 19 not. Did I get that right?
- 20 A. Yes.
- Q. Is that fair? Okay.
- So, those were the two broader
- 23 categories?
- 24 A. Yes.

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- Q. And then from 2007 to present you were
- ² manager, pharmacy inventory control, correct?
- 3 A. Correct.
- 4 Q. And, so, when you mentioned earlier that
- ⁵ your first recollection of being involved with
- 6 suspicious order monitoring policy was when you got
- ⁷ to corporate, are you referring to the last entry
- 8 on your resume, manager, pharmacy inventory
- 9 control, beginning in July of 2007?
- 10 A. I am, but it was much after '07.
- Q. It was much after '07. Do you mean by
- 12 like '08 or '09?
- 13 A. Definitely probably closer to '09. It
- 14 might have been '08.
- Q. Okay. Late '08, early '09, is that
- 16 fair, something like -- something around that time
- 17 frame?
- A. Dates are a little hard to keep straight
- 19 sometimes. Sorry.
- Q. Sure. Late '08, early '09, what is your
- 21 first recollection of suspicious order monitoring
- 22 policy at Walgreens and what were you asked to do?
- A. I'm not sure what came first and what
- 24 came second. I know that my team was asked to

- Q. So, those were the two -- you don't
- ² remember which order, but that's your first kind of

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- ³ recollection of how you became involved in
- 4 suspicious order monitoring at Walgreens?
- A. Correct.
- 6 Q. All right. So, let's start with, and I
- ⁷ recognize that you don't remember which specific
- ⁸ order, but let's start with the category data that
- ⁹ you were pulling to for the field.
- So, first of all, when you say "field,"
- who do you mean?
- A. It's people that supervise the stores,
- ¹³ pharmacy manager, district leaders. I forget all
- 14 the exact titles above that. Could be regional
- vice presidents or things like that.
- Q. Is field just non-corporate?
 - A. Yes.

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- Q. So, if you're not here in Deerfield,
- 19 you're in the field. Is that -- is that fair? Or
- tell me how you --
 - A. Field or the stores.
- Q. Field or the stores.
- A. So, like we have the distribution
- 24 centers as well. So...

Page 26 Q. So, if you say "field," that's field

- ² maybe in a regional office or the stores but not
- ³ the distribution centers?
- 4 A. Correct.
- ⁵ Q. So, just to get our lingo straight here,
- ⁶ we have corporate. We have field, which would be
- ⁷ regional offices or the stores. Am I right so far?
- 8 A. Yes.
- ⁹ Q. And then you have distribution centers?
- ¹⁰ A. Yes.
- Q. Okay. So, data to the field in various
- 12 states regarding purchasing, dispensing. Do you
- 13 recall what specific types of data you were asked
- 14 to pull?
- A. A few times I remember working with
- ¹⁶ different departments to obtain purchasing records
- ¹⁷ on select controlled substances. I don't remember
- 18 exactly which drugs. And then I also worked with
- 19 other groups to look at dispensing of the same
- ²⁰ product.
- Q. Now, when you say "purchasing records,"
- 22 can you give me a little color. What do you mean?
- A. Purchasing records would be anything
- 24 that was bought from our stores from a distribution

- ¹ order.
- ² BY MR. MOUGEY:
- ³ Q. And then the second step was also
- 4 dispensing, correct?
 - A. Correct.
- Q. We're looking at purchasing meaning what

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- ⁷ did the store order and then also dispensing
- ⁸ meaning what was going out the door to patients,
- ⁹ correct?
- ¹⁰ A. Correct.
- Q. So, can you give me an example -- based
- ¹² on your days as the supervisor and drug database,
- 13 I'm assuming you're familiar with the term
- 14 "fields," right? "Fields" meaning different types
- ¹⁵ of data stored in a database?
- 16 A. Okay.
- Q. And familiar with that term?
- ¹⁸ A. Yes.
- Q. Okay. So, fields is typically a column
- or a piece of data that's kept in a database. Are
- ²¹ you comfortable with that description?
 - A. Yes.

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- Q. Okay. So, what fields, when you were
- ²⁴ pulling data on purchasing records and dispensing,

- ¹ center or from another vendor.
- Q. All right. Was that in particular in
- ³ regard to relationship to controlled substances?
- 4 A. Yes.
- ⁵ Q. So, you're looking at, tell me, like
- ⁶ ordering patterns and volume for controlled
- ⁷ substances, Schedule III, Schedule III. Is that
- 8 fair?
- ⁹ A. I really was just pulling the data. I
- ¹⁰ wasn't looking for patterns at the time.
 - Q. Okay. So, help me to understand what
- 12 type of data when you say "purchasing records."
- ¹³ Just give me some examples.
- A. It would be, you know, a select store or
- ¹⁵ a group of stores and a drug and a time period.
- O. And so how many orders and how many
- ¹⁷ essentially dosage units are coming in from the
- ¹⁸ distribution centers and being dispensed through
- 19 the pharmacy?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to the form.
- 21 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. If we're focused on the purchasing,
- ²³ we're not looking at the dispensing side. I'm just
- ²⁴ looking at what's coming in, what did the store

- ¹ what were you pulling?
- A. I don't remember the exact fields.
- ³ Again, it would be either a store or a group of
- ⁴ stores, a drug, a group of drugs, and a time frame
- ⁵ to look at the quantity over that time period. I
- ⁶ don't remember specifics.
- ⁷ Q. Were there multiple time periods so
- 8 there could be comparisons made from one time
- ⁹ period to another time period?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form, vague as to
- 11 time.
- 12 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. I don't remember that specifically.
- 14 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Are we confused about the time? We were
- 16 still talking about late '08, early '09, right?
- ¹⁷ Talking about when you -- you told me you were
- ¹⁸ initially contacted about suspicious order
- 19 monitoring. The answers you've just given me,
- ²⁰ you're comfortable that we're still in the late
- ²¹ '09, early -- late '08, early '09 time period?
- ²² A. Yes.
- Q. Okay. So, what I asked was: Were there
- ²⁴ different time periods pulled so there could be

- 1 comparisons made?
- A. I wasn't involved with any comparisons.
- ³ The requests I got were more ad hoc one-offs. So,
- ⁴ if someone else was asking me to do it and making
- ⁵ comparisons, I'm not aware of that.
- Q. How often would those requests come in
- ⁷ in late '08, early '09?
- 8 A. My best recollection is a few.
- Q. Beginning late '08, early '09, were
- 10 there any other requests for data to Barbara Martin
- or your team in late '08, early '09?
- A. It's hard to remember specifics.
- Q. Generally. I haven't really asked you
- ¹⁴ anything specifically so far, at least that you
- ¹⁵ have been able to provide an answer.
- Other than the couple of examples,
- pulling purchasing data and dispensing data for
- 18 certain stores, groups of stores and time frames,
- 19 anything else generally you recall pulling in
- ²⁰ late '08, early '09?
- ²¹ A. No.
- Q. And you weren't involved in any form or
- ²³ fashion of analyzing the data you were pulling?
- 24 A. No.

- ¹ BY THE WITNESS:
- A. I believe to the best of my knowledge,
- ³ yes.

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- 4 BY MR. MOUGEY:
 - Q. So, is there any point in '09 when the
- ⁶ scope of what you were being asked to do changed
- ⁷ from pulling the data you just described?
 - A. We started to develop systems, more
- ⁹ logic in our ordering systems. And this new logic
- was generating data and reports.
 - Q. Now, when you said "we," who is that?
- 12 A. The team that designed the ordering
- system, Loss Prevention, and probably several other
- groups that I don't remember.
- Q. The team that developed the system. Do
- 16 you know who that is?
- A. Steve Bamberg comes to mind.
- Q. Okay. How about Wayne Bancroft?
 - A. Yes.
- Q. How about Mr. -- I am going to
- 21 mispronounce his name -- Piñon?
- A. Yeah, I believe he was providing
- ²³ information as well.
- O. And I never remember one of his

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- Q. And you were pulling that data for the
- ² field, which you defined as pharmacy managers,
- 3 maybe district supervisors, I think you gave the
- 4 vice president title, but folks in the field, not
- 5 in the distribution centers and not in corporate is
- 6 your recollection, correct?
- 7 A. Correct.
- 8 Q. Do you recall who you were pulling that
- 9 data for, any names?
- A. Not off the top of my head.
- Q. So, now let's move out of late -- is
- 12 your answer so far -- that's your complete
- 13 recollection of your involvement of suspicious
- 14 order monitoring from when you began at Walgreens
- 15 all the way up to now in early '09.
- Does that data pull kind of capture
- ¹⁷ everything that you can recall you were involved in
- 18 in relation to suspicious order monitoring, looking
- 19 to identify outliers --
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 21 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. -- for controlled substances?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form; mischaracterizes
- 24 her testimony.

- 1 associate's name. Zagami. I think it's Patty?
- 2 A. Oh, Patty Zagami.
- Q. Yes.
- 4 A. I don't remember her being around in
- 5 that time period, but that could just be my memory.
- 6 Q. Okay. So, do you remember -- Steve
- ⁷ Bamberg is a technology guy, right?
- 8 A. Yes
- 9 Q. And Wayne Bancroft is kind of the smart
- 10 math guy, right?
- 11 A. Yes.
- Q. All right. And Mr. Piñon is out of
- 13 regulatory and law, correct?
- 14 A. Yes.
- Q. So, other than the IT guy, the smart
- 16 math guy and Mr. Piñon from regulatory and law and
- 17 yourself, do you recall any other departments being
- present when your group was working on developing
- 19 the system?
- 20 A. Loss Prevention --
- Q. Okay.
- 22 A. -- would have been involved. Again, I
- 23 keep remembering Marcie's name. I'm sure she had a
- ²⁴ boss, Ed something I think. I don't remember.

- 1 Q. Okay.
- A. And then there would have been other
- ³ people from pharmacy operations. I believe my boss
- 4 at the time was Joanna Lalich.
- Q. How do you spell Joanna's last name?
- 6 A. L-a-l-i-c-h.
- ⁷ Q. How long was she -- did she remain your
- 8 boss from this late '08, early '09 until when?
- 9 A. I think about '09.
- 10 Q. Okay.
- 11 A. '09, '010, she might have left.
- Q. Because after that period in time it was
- 13 Denny Martin, correct?
- 14 A. Denny Murray.
- Q. Denny Murray was your direct report,
- 16 correct?
- 17 A. Yes.
- Q. And then the step above him was Mike --
- 19 A. Bleser.
- Q. -- Bleser, right?
- 21 A. Yes.
- Q. So, you mentioned a logic, developed
- 23 systems and I think you referred to it as logic.
- 24 Is that correct?

- A. I believe that Wayne was actually
 - ² providing the logic and Steve would have been doing
 - ³ the programming.
 - 4 Q. There we go. So, they needed color or
 - 5 context in order to write the formula so it worked
 - 6 logistically within Walgreens, correct?
 - A. Correct.
 - Q. And you were one of the people there to
 - ⁹ help give some color or context so they could put
 - 10 the formula together and then implement it from a
 - 11 technology perspective, correct?
 - 12 A. We were working on the best guidance
 - 13 that was provided from our legal counsel.
 - Q. All right. So, when you say "I wasn't
 - 15 directly involved in the system," let's do it this
 - 16 way. Will you just tell me what your role was in
 - developing that system.
 - A. I really wasn't involved with that part.
 - Q. Wasn't involved at all.
 - So, once it was developed, did you have
 - 21 any input into the implementation?
 - 22 A. No.
 - Q. What involvement did you have with the
 - 24 system that you were working on with the team you

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- A. That's the term I'm using, yes.
- Q. Help me. What does that mean to you,
- ³ logic? What is that?
- 4 A. It would have been programming that
- ⁵ would have been put in place to help identify
- ⁶ potentially suspicious orders.
- ⁷ Q. Potentially suspicious orders. So, we
- 8 have got still kind of a 30,000-foot view, and we
- ⁹ are going to drill down into some of these later.
- 10 Okay?
- So, what I'd like you to help me do now,
- 12 so we have the data pull that you described that
- 13 you began to work on the systems with that group
- 14 you just walked me through.
- Do you recall how long you stayed
- 16 involved in working on the systems or the logic?
- A. I wasn't directly involved with
- ¹⁸ developing the system.
- Q. When you say "directly involved," I
- ²⁰ mean, you're not the guy writing the big long math
- ²¹ formula, right, or the lady?
- ²² A. No.
- Q. Okay. That was Mr. Bancroft and his
- 24 crew, right?

1 just described?

- 2 A. Once it was in pilot testing phases,
- 3 there were reports that were being generated, and
- 4 myself and Marcie Ranick were looking at those
- ⁵ reports, trying to see if the logic was sound.
- 6 Q. Trying to see if the logic was logical.
- ⁷ Being a little sarcastic. Sorry.
 - All right. So, we're checking to see if
- 9 the logic was sound. What time frame was that?
- 10 A. '09, '010.

- Q. Okay. Now, how often were you and
- 12 Marcie reviewing reports from logic to determine if
- 13 the methodology was sound?
- 14 A. We probably met several times a month,
- 15 maybe weekly.
- Q. Did this group, was it -- did it have a
- 17 name? Was it a task force or a committee?
- A. If we had a name, I don't remember it.
- Q. So, several times a month, maybe weekly,
- 20 would you and Marcie sit in the same room with some
- 21 reports?
- 22 A. Yeah.
- Q. Okay. So, you'd get together and would
- 24 you print the reports out?

- 1 A. Would pull them up on one of our
- ² computers and then if we needed to, we would print
- ³ things.
- 4 Q. All right. And what were you looking
- ⁵ for on these reports to determine if the
- 6 methodology was sound?
- A. We were looking first to see what was
- 8 flagged and then we were looking to see why it was
- ⁹ flagged and if it was flagged for a reason that
- 10 seemed correct or not.
- Q. And I apologize. I know I already asked
- 12 you this, but you said you think this was '09?
- 13 A. Yeah.
- Q. Okay. Were there changes made to the
- 15 methodology based on yours and Marcie's reviews of
- 16 the reports?
- 17 A. I believe so.
- Q. Was there another group at Walgreens
- 19 that were reviewing the methodology and the results
- 20 to see if it was sound?
- A. I'm not 100% certain.
- Q. And who did you report back to after
- 23 reviewing the reports, yours and Marcie's, I'll say
- 24 conclusions?

- 1 pharmacy inventory control?
- 2 A. I mean, our current title is
- ³ biopharmaceutical development and supply chain.
- Q. That sounds very fancy, yes, and a
- 5 mouthful.
- 6 A. This is why we try to keep it simple.
 - Q. Okay. You did not accomplish that with
- 8 biopharmaceutical -- I can't even remember --
- 9 development and supply chain.
- But how about pre -- pre the current
- 11 name, anything else you can think of?
- 12 A. No.
- Q. Inventory supply, is that kind of the
- wheelhouse of yours and Mr. Dymon and Mr. Bleser's
- kind of scope of responsibility?
- 16 A. Right.
- Q. Is that fair?
- 18 A. Yeah.
- Q. Okay. So, any input you had into the
- ²⁰ reports you gave to your direct report, your boss,
- 21 correct?
- 22 A. Yes.
- Q. And you think Marcie may have provided
- 24 input to her direct report in Loss Prevention,

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- A. I gave some of my feedback directly to
- ² my boss, Joanna.
- ³ Q. Okay.
- 4 A. And I know that Marcie was also giving
- ⁵ feedback to her boss as well.
- 6 Q. And I get a little confused with all the
- 7 names of the departments at Walgreens because I
- 8 swear everybody calls different -- Loss Prevention,
- ⁹ I get that's where Marcie is.
- Your resume indicates pharmacy inventory
- 11 control. Is that -- so, when you say your boss
- 12 Joanne, that's your department, pharmacy inventory
- 13 control?
- A. I don't remember what our department was
- ¹⁵ called at the time.
- Q. Okay. But it wasn't --
- 17 A. My title --
- Q. I'm not crazy. It was called
- 19 something -- it varied over time. Is that fair?
- ²⁰ A. Correct.
- Q. So, I'm not that nuts. There were
- ²² different names for your department. It changed
- 23 over time.
- Do you recall any other names other than

1 correct?

- 2 A. Yes.
- ³ Q. Any idea why you and Marcie were asked

- 4 to be the ones looking at the reports?
- 5 A. I don't know why Marcie was asked.
- 6 Q. Okay. How about yourself?
- A. I was asked because of my experience as
- 8 a pharmacist in the stores and in my current role
- ⁹ at inventory. So, I was able to relate to how
- 10 pharmacists would fill prescriptions and why they
- 11 would fill prescriptions, and I was also able to
- 12 understand the system and look at item movement and
- 13 make conclusions to the best of my ability.
- Q. All right. So, if you use the term
- 15 "Chemical Handler's Manual," are you familiar with
- 16 that?
- 17 A. No.
- Q. Are you familiar with suspicious reports
- 19 at Walgreens that the methodology, at least in
- part, is three times an average?
- A. I've heard that term. I don't know
- ²² where it was being used.
- Q. Okay. You don't recall looking in any
- 24 reports that the methodology was three times an

- ¹ average, correct?
- 2 A. No.
- ³ Q. The reports you were looking at were
- ⁴ driven by the formula that Mr. Bamberg and
- ⁵ Mr. Bancroft's team put together and began to
- 6 implement at Walgreens?
- 7 A. Yes.
- Q. Now, the reports that you looked at from
- ⁹ Mr. Bancroft and Mr. Bamberg's -- I'm going to call
- 10 it an algorithm. Is that fair?
- 11 A. It's fair.
- Q. All right. So, the reports that you
- 13 looked at from the Bancroft algorithm, were those
- ¹⁴ orders, at least in 2009, that had already been
- 15 shipped?
- A. I believe so, yes.
- Q. Okay. And was the scope of your review
- 18 primarily to determine if the algorithm was doing
- 19 its job to identify outliers?
- A. What we were looking at was why these
- 21 orders flagged and if the reason they were flagged
- ²² was overreactionary or sound.
- Q. Were you looking at that, for the
- ²⁴ overreactionary or sound, for the purpose of

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- was something else you were looking at or that is
 in its entirety what you were looking at, which was
- ³ to make sure that the -- that you were evaluating
- 4 the methodology?
 - A. Correct. In the beginning we wanted to
- 6 make sure that the logic was sound and that we
- ⁷ weren't flagging too many orders, that we were
- 8 flagging the right orders so that our stores could
- ⁹ get the product they needed to service their
- ¹⁰ patients. We wanted to make sure that the logic
- ¹¹ was accurate.
- Q. Okay. And that was the scope, flagging,
- making sure that it was flagging the right orders
- 14 is what you and Ms. Ranick were looking at in and
- ¹⁵ around 2009?
- 16 A. Yes.
- Q. And is it your recollection that that
- ¹⁸ was still when the Bancroft algorithm was in its
- ¹⁹ pilot phase?
- ²⁰ A. Yes.
- Q. All right. Now, generally, was -- did
- ²² your scope of review change after you and
- 23 Ms. Ranick were evaluating whether or not the
- ²⁴ Bancroft algorithm was flagging the right orders?

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- 1 providing feedback to Mr. Bancroft and Mr. Bamberg
- ² about the methodology so it could be modified or
- 3 fine-tuned?
- 4 A. Yes.
- ⁵ Q. Any other reasons why you and Ms. Ranick
- 6 were reviewing the reports identifying the outliers
- ⁷ from Mr. Bancroft and Mr. Bamberg?
- 8 A. At that time that's what we were focused
- ⁹ on, evaluating the logic.
- Q. And you think that was -- that was '09?
- 11 A. Yes
- Q. Did that change at any point in time?
- A. It did change. Again, the dates get a
- 14 little vague.
- Q. Okay. Let me go back to your previous
- answer just to make sure we're on the same page.
- I asked you, "Are there any other
- 18 reasons why you and Ms. Ranick were reviewing the
- 19 reports identifying outliers from Mr. Bancroft's
- 20 algorithm?" And you said, "That's what we were
- 21 focused on."
- 22 I'm sorry for wordsmithing here a little
- 23 bit.
- That was your primary focus and there

A. After a period of time, once we felt the

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- ² logic was sound or I know that there were some
- 3 tweaks made to the logic as well -- I don't
- 4 remember what they were. I'm not a programmer --
- ⁵ then we started looking not only at individual
- 6 reports but then Marcie took on a stronger role and
- ⁷ I was more helping her just understand the store
- 8 side of it. She started focusing on summary
- ⁹ reports of stores that might show up weekly or
- 10 monthly.

- Q. Do you have an understanding of when
- 12 that time period is?
- 13 A. '09, '010.
 - Q. Do you still speak with Ms. Ranick?
- ¹⁵ A. Unfortunately I lost contact with her
- ¹⁶ shortly after she left Walgreens.
- Q. Give me a little more information, if
- you would, please, on the "We started looking not
- only at individual reports but then Marcie took on
- ²⁰ a stronger role and I was more helping her just to
- ²¹ understand the store side of it." What do you mean
- 22 by that?
- A. So, part of the database that we were
- ²⁴ looking at, when it would flag individual orders,

- ¹ it was also creating weekly and monthly summaries.
- So, Loss Prevention and Marcie felt that
- ³ it was important to start looking at those weekly
- 4 and monthly summaries to identify stores that were
- ⁵ consistently on the report; and Marcie would come
- 6 to me and show me things, and I could look in the
- ⁷ store system and see what they were doing and try
- 8 to put some logic behind it or an explanation as to
- ⁹ what they might be doing.
- Q. You were helping get Marcie up to speed
- 11 on the, quote-unquote, "store side" of it to put
- 12 some of this in context. Is that fair?
- A. I understood item movement better than
- 14 she did.
- Q. Now, when you say "item movement," just
- 16 the -- explain what you mean by that.
- A. Item movement in a store is any type of
- 18 activity. It can be receiving the product,
- 19 dispensing it, transferring it to another store,
- ²⁰ returning it, different types of activity.
- Q. Okay. Bear with me. I need your help
- 22 looking at some reports.
- I will hand you what we will mark as
- 24 Martin 2.

- les. 1 quantity is 3. The ordered quantity is 3.
 - Q. All right. You're talking about the
 - ³ right-hand side, correct?
 - A. Yes. And then below that is a tolerance

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- ⁵ limit of 5.
- 6 Q. Okay.
 - A. 3 is less than 5.
- Q. All right. So, were you providing,
- ⁹ then, input back to the group about this type of
- ¹⁰ order and why it was being flagged?
- ¹¹ A. Yes.
- Q. And so this is 8/25/09. Do you see the
 - ³ date in the upper right-hand corner?
- ¹⁴ A. Yes.
- Q. And this is during what you recall as
- 16 the pilot period, correct?
- ¹⁷ A. Yes.
- Q. And, I mean, this -- your understanding
- 19 is this report wasn't being used to fulfill
- ²⁰ Walgreens' obligations as the distributor to
- ²¹ identify suspicious orders during this period of
- ²² time, correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 24 BY THE WITNESS:

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- 1 (WHEREUPON, a certain document was
- 2 marked as Walgreens-Martin Exhibit
- ³ No. 2: 8/25/09 document, "MartinB,
- 4 Order Item Detail"; WAGMDL00674550.)
- 5 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- 6 Q. Do you recognize this report? It's
- ⁷ Bates No. 674550.
- 8 A. Yes, I've seen this.
- 9 Q. And tell me what this is.
- 10 A. So, this would have been an example of a
- 11 specific order that was being flagged, and this is
- 12 one that I would have said it wasn't being flagged
- 13 for the right reasons. This would have been one
- 14 that even though it showed up on this report, it
- ¹⁵ wasn't flagged for the right reasons. This is when
- 16 I was saying logic needed to be changed.
- Q. Now, you came to that conclusion
- 18 relatively quickly on a report that's dated
- 19 August 25, 2009. Tell me how you just did that so
- 20 fast.
- A. Well, there is -- there is three numbers
- 22 I am looking at.
- Q. Okay.
- A. So, the suspicious -- the suggested

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 A. I'm not sure about what Walgreens' legal
- ² responsibility would have been. That would have
- ³ been for our legal counsel to provide that type of
- ⁴ guidance.
- ⁵ BY MR. MOUGEY:
- 6 Q. I don't think I asked you that. I asked
- ⁷ you, I said, was it your understanding this report
- 8 was being used to fulfill Walgreens' obligations as
- ⁹ a distributor to identify suspicious orders during
- 10 this time period?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 12 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. It wasn't my area of responsibility to
- 14 know what Walgreens was supposed to be doing. I
- wasn't in charge of distribution regulations.
- 16 BY MR. MOUGEY:
 - Q. I didn't think you were in charge of
- 18 distribution regulations. You're a Walgreens
- 19 employee, correct?
- 20 A. Yes.

- Q. You've been asked to serve on a team
- ²² with several other individuals from Walgreens to
- ²³ work on an algorithm identified -- identifying
- ²⁴ outliers, correct?

- 1 A. Yes.
- 2 Q. You were asked to look at these reports
- ³ to determine if they were false hits, correct?
- 4 A. Yes.
- ⁵ Q. And you understood that this entire
- 6 process was because Walgreens had responsibility to
- 7 monitor and identify suspicious orders, correct?
- 8 A. That's the statement I'm struggling
- ⁹ with. I don't remember at that time what I knew
- 10 and what I didn't know. I don't believe that
- 11 someone sat down and said Walgreens has to do this
- because we're a distributor. I just remember being
- 13 told to start looking at these reports.
- 14 Q. Okay. Then --
- A. What I know now versus what I know then,
- 16 it's hard to differentiate.
- Q. Fair enough. So, '08 and '09, you
- 18 certainly then weren't performing due diligence on
- 19 orders that were being identified by the algorithm
- 20 to determine if they were suspicious, correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 22 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. I'm not sure what you're trying to ask
- 24 me.

- Q. Would you go back --
- A. I remember being asked to look at these
- ³ reports.
- 4 Q. Would you go back to Martin 1, please.
- ⁵ You see the last entry under "Manager, Pharmacy
- 6 Inventory Control, July 2000 to present"?
 - A. Yes.
- 8 O. "Assisted in the creation of the control
- 9 drug order monitoring reports"?
 - A. Yes.

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- Q. Are the control drug order monitoring
- 12 reports, is an example of one what I just put in
- 13 front of you as Martin 2?
- 14 A. Yes.
- Q. So, on your resume you agree that the
 - 5 information on this resume is accurate, correct?
- 17 A. Yes.
- Q. It's complete, correct?
- 19 A. It's a summary, yes.
- Q. Yes, ma'am. And you understand when you
- 21 put together a resume that it's important that the
- 22 information you relay to the reader be accurate,
- 23 correct?
- 24 A. Yes.

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- Q. And when you took the time to put
- ² together this resume, you claim that you assisted

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- ³ in the creation of the control drug order
- 4 monitoring reports, correct?
- A. That's what it says.
- 6 Q. But is it your testimony today that you
- ⁷ don't have an understanding of the regulatory
- 8 structure that Walgreens was attempting to comply
- 9 with?
- A. Correct. I was relying on our legal
 - 1 counsel to provide that guidance.
- Q. And I understand. But I'm asking you
- 13 your understanding, not what your reliance -- not
- what you were relying on. I'm asking your
- ¹⁵ understanding of what the regulatory structure is.
- 16 A 111 1' 1TI 44 '
- And I believe, and I'm not trying to put
- words in your mouth, you tell me, you don't have an
- understanding of what the regulatory structure was,
- 19 correct?
- A. As I've said, I don't really remember
- 21 what I knew then versus what I know now.
- Q. What do you -- so, you think it's
- 23 possible that you were assisting in the creation of
- 24 the control drug order monitoring reports but had

- 1 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Do you understand what the words "due
- 3 diligence" are?
- 4 A. Yeah.
- ⁵ Q. So, since you didn't understand what
- 6 Walgreens' responsibilities were as a distributor,
- ⁷ you certainly weren't being asked by Walgreens to
- 8 perform due diligence on orders identified by the
- 9 Bancroft algorithm, correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 11 BY THE WITNESS:
- 12 A. I'm not sure I completely understand
- 13 your question, but I will try to answer it anyway.
- 14 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. That will be great. Why don't we try to
- 16 answer as best you can.
- A. I was asked to look at these reports to
- 18 determine why they may or may not have been flagged
- 19 and to see if the logic was sound. At that time I
- 20 really don't remember what I was told about
- 21 Walgreens' legal obligations to report ordering.
- That's the part of the question that I'm
- 23 struggling with. It's what did I know then versus
- 24 what do I know now.

- 1 no understanding of the regulatory structure that
- ² Walgreens was trying to comply with. Is that your
- ³ testimony?
- 4 A. Our legal counsel was responsible for
- ⁵ looking at the -- at the regulation and providing
- 6 the necessary guidance.
- Q. That's not what I asked you. I didn't
- 8 ask you if regulatory structure. And I understand
- ⁹ that's the drumbeat. But what I'm asking you is
- ¹⁰ different.
- What did Barbara Martin, who had been at
- 12 Walgreens at this point by 2008, 2009 for over 20,
- 13 almost 25 years, and you were assisting in the
- 14 creation of the control drug order monitoring
- 15 reports, what was Barbara Martin's understanding of
- 16 the regulatory structure with Walgreens as a
- ¹⁷ distributor?
- 18 MR. SWANSON: Object to form, asked and
- 19 answered.
- 20 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. Again, I don't even remember when I
- 22 created this resume. Obviously it was after '07,
- ²³ but it wasn't any time in the last year or two. I
- 24 haven't had a need to update my resume.
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- As far as the creation of the report,
- ² this report that we are talking about, if I'm
- ³ looking at this and saying I'm looking at this
- 4 report, is the logic sound or not, I can report on
- ⁵ that.
- 6 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- ⁷ Q. But that's a little different than the
- ⁸ question I asked, not whether your resume was right
- ⁹ and you remember it was or the report.
- What I'm asking you is: Does -- did
- 11 Barbara Martin, you, have an understanding of what
- 12 the general obligations were of Walgreens as a
- 13 distributor under federal law when you were
- 14 assisting in the creation of the control drug order
- ¹⁵ monitoring reports? Yes or no.
- MR. SWANSON: Asked and answered.
- 17 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. Again, I struggle with what I knew then
- 19 versus what I know now.
- 20 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. So, you don't even know whether you
- ²² understood it or not. Is it your practice to work
- 23 on assisting in the creation of the control drug
- 24 order monitoring reports as an employee of

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- ¹ Walgreens of almost 25 years at that point and you
- ² don't understand the regulatory structure?
- A. It was a new task that my boss asked me
- ⁴ to take on. She said look at these reports. Look
- ⁵ at item movement.
- Q. Do you have a recollection of when you
- ⁷ were educated on Walgreens' responsibilities as a
- ⁸ distributor?
- A. The exact dates, no. And like I said,
- 10 it's hard to quantify what I know now versus what
- 11 I've learned in the past, what dates I learned
- ¹² different things. It's -- sorry.
 - Q. I'm not really asking you for August 23
- ¹⁴ I reviewed regulatory Section 1301.74.
- 15 I'm saying generally, do you have an
- ¹⁶ understanding when you got up to speed on the
- 17 regulatory structure of Walgreens as a distributor?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 9 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. Again, as far as regulatory structure, I
- ²¹ was relying on our legal department to provide that
- ²² guidance so that they were the ones telling us what
- ²³ we needed.
- 24 BY MR. MOUGEY:

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- Q. I understand. But when you say
- ² providing guidance, so they were providing guidance
- 3 to you, correct?
- 4 A. To the group.
- Q. To the group. They were providing
- 6 guidance. When did Barbara Martin have a general
- 7 understanding of Walgreens' responsibilities as a
- 8 distributor under the applicable federal code and
- 9 regs?
- 10 A. Again, I struggle with that because
- 11 you're going -- you're talking about regulatory
- 12 codes and regulations, and I don't know if I ever
- 13 knew the exact codes and regulations. I was asked
- 14 4 1 1 4 4 1 1 4 1 1 1 1
- 14 to look at reports and determine if the logic was
- 15 sound.

- Q. Now, when I use the words "general
- understanding," you know what that means, right?
- ⁸ General understanding. General understanding.
- 19 A. I think so.
 - Q. Let's do it this way.
- When did Ms. Martin have a general
- 22 understanding of Walgreens' responsibilities as a
- 23 distributor?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.

1 BY THE WITNESS:

- ² A. I really -- I really don't know. Sorry.
- ³ BY MR. MOUGEY:
- 4 Q. Do you understand that Walgreens has
- 5 responsibilities as a distributor separate and
- 6 apart from its obligations as a pharmacy?
- A. I know you're looking at my title as
- 8 inventory, but I was not really involved on the
- ⁹ distribution side. I kind of look at distribution
- 10 different than ordering.
- Q. Okay. So, during your career at
- 12 Walgreens, from the beginning to today, you don't
- 13 believe that the work you performed was to ensure
- 14 that Walgreens was filling its role as a
- 15 distributor?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form, mischaracterizes.
- 17 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. Again, I'm not quite sure I understand
- 19 your question.
- 20 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. What part of that do you not understand?
- 22 I'll say it again for you to make sure.
- A. Yeah, please.
- Q. So, during your career at Walgreens,

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But the simple question I asked you was:

- ² Do you ever recall being educated on what
- ³ Walgreens' responsibilities as a distributor were?
- 4 Yes or no.
- 5 MR. SWANSON: Asked and answered.
- 6 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. I relied on other people to make sure
- 8 that they knew that the -- Walgreens was following
- 9 the policies and procedures.
- 10 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. So, the answer to my question is no,
- 12 correct? You can't recall ever being educated on
- what Walgreens' responsibilities as a distributor
- 14 were, correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form, mischaracterizes
- 16 her testimony.
- 17 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. If that's how you want to interpret what
- 19 I'm saying.
- 20 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. You have said repeatedly that you relied
- 22 on other people, and I don't know if by relying on
- 23 other people that you just reviewed the reports and
- someone else implemented. What I'm asking you is a

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- ¹ from the beginning, just cut it off at 2015, you
- ² don't believe that the work you performed was to
- ³ ensure that Walgreens was filling its role as a
- 4 distributor, correct?
- ⁵ A. My role at various times, I was asked to
- 6 look at reports, look at item movement and
- ⁷ determine if the logic was sound. How that was
- ⁸ being interpreted in regards to various
- ⁹ regulations, I honestly didn't know how that fit
- ¹⁰ in.
- Q. And you can't recall ever being educated
- 12 on what Walgreens' responsibilities as a
- ¹³ distributor were?
- A. I'm sure I've heard different bits and
- ¹⁵ pieces of things over the courses of years, but
- ¹⁶ it's hard to pinpoint exactly when I would have
- ¹⁷ learned what types of information. And, again, my
- 18 role wasn't involved with determining what the
- 19 rules were. I was asked to determine if logic was
- 20 sound.
- Q. My question was a little different. You
- ²² said, "I've heard bits and pieces over the years.
- 23 It's hard to pinpoint exactly when I learned
- ²⁴ specific types of information."

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- ² the fourth or fifth time.
- 3 Do you recall ever being educated about

1 simple question, and I'm going to ask it for about

- 4 what Walgreens' responsibilities were as a
- ⁵ distributor?
- 6 MR. SWANSON: Asked and answered.
- ⁷ BY MR. MOUGEY:
- 8 O. Yes or no.
- 9 MR. SWANSON: Asked and answered.
- 10 BY THE WITNESS:
- 11 A. Again, I was relying on other people to
- ¹² determine what the regulations were.
- 13 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. So, the answer is --
- ¹⁵ A. Our legal.
- Q. -- no, you've never been educated --
 - MR. MOUGEY: I am sick and tired of the head
- shaking on the yes and no from you two. I do not
- 19 want yeses, nos, in answers.
- I will tell you what. We are going to
- take a break. Do we have an extra camera? Do we
- 22 have another camera? Get the camera off of me and
- 23 let's put it on Walgreens counsel with the yeses
- 24 and nos and the head shaking repeatedly in the

- 1 peripheral sight of the witness. This has been
- ² going on for two months with Kate over there
- ³ shaking her head yes and no.
- 4 MR. SWANSON: You are not putting a camera on
- ⁵ me. So, you can turn it off or keep it on you.
- 6 MR. MOUGEY: I do not want --
- 7 MR. SWANSON: Stop the speech. Ask questions.
- 8 MR. MOUGEY: -- any more gestures.
- 9 There is no speech. I do not want any
- 10 more yes or no head shaking. It's the most
- 11 unprofessional. And your office has done this
- 12 repeatedly over and over again for two months.
- MR. SWANSON: Are you done?
- MR. MOUGEY: Are you done? Are we done with
- 15 the head shaking? The witness is right there.
- MR. SWANSON: Do you need a breather?
- MR. MOUGEY: The witness -- I don't need a
- 18 breather. I need you to stop head shaking.
- MR. SWANSON: Then calm down.
- MR. MOUGEY: Don't tell me to calm down.
- MR. SWANSON: And ask questions.
- MR. MOUGEY: I am sick and tired of Kate
- 23 sitting there shaking her head in the direct
- 24 peripheral sight of the witness for answers.

- ¹ MR. SWANSON: Asked and answered.
 - ² BY THE WITNESS:
 - ³ A. Again, as far as regulations, I relied
 - ⁴ on our legal department to provide that guidance.
 - ⁵ BY MR. MOUGEY:
 - 6 Q. Did you -- did you -- were you trained
 - ⁷ in any shape, form or fashion on Walgreens'
 - 8 responsibilities as a distributor?
 - ⁹ A. Again, Walgreens' responsibilities, I
 - left that up to other people to determine.
 - Q. So, you didn't receive any training from
 - ¹² anyone else about what Walgreens' responsibilities
 - and duties were as a distributor?
 - 14 MR. SWANSON: Objection.
 - ¹⁵ BY THE WITNESS:
 - A. It wasn't my area of responsibility to
 - determine how to interpret rules and regulations.
 - 18 BY MR. MOUGEY:
 - Q. I understand that your -- you think it's
 - someone else. But all I'm simply asking is: Did
 - 21 you get any training about what Walgreens'
 - ²² responsibilities were as a distributor? It's a
 - 23 simple yes or no answer.
 - And if it's no, it's okay. Just say no.

- 1 THE WITNESS: I am not even looking at Kate.
- MR. SWANSON: Nobody needs your speech, Peter.
- ³ Go ahead.
- 4 MR. MOUGEY: I don't need the head shaking.
- 5 Are you done with the head shaking?
- 6 MR. SWANSON: I'm not going to respond.
- 7 MR. MOUGEY: Are you done with the head
- 8 shaking?
- 9 MR. SWANSON: Do you want to go off the record
- 10 and take a break or not?
- MR. MOUGEY: No, I don't need a break.
- MR. SWANSON: Then ask a question.
- MR. MOUGEY: Are you done with the head
- 14 shaking? Yes or no. Are we done?
- MR. SWANSON: Ask a question.
- MR. MOUGEY: I will take that as a yes, we're
- 17 done. And every time I get a head shake, I'm going
- 18 to announce it on the record.
- 19 MR. SWANSON: That's great.
- MR. MOUGEY: That is great.
- 21 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Do you recall ever being educated on
- 23 Walgreens' responsibility as a distributor during
- 24 your tenure at Walgreens?

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- ¹ If you didn't get any training about Walgreens'
- ² responsibilities as a distributor, no is fine.
- ³ A. I relied on other people to interpret
- ⁴ the regulations. So, if you want to interpret that
- 5 as a no, please do so.
- 6 Q. I'm not trying to interpret. I want you
- ⁷ to tell me generally do you ever recall being
- 8 trained on Walgreens' responsibility as a
- ⁹ distributor?
- A. And, again, my answer is it's not my
- responsibility to interpret regulations.
- Q. So, I didn't use the word "regulations"
- 13 in my question. Okay. I have taken out "code."
- ¹⁴ I've taken out "regulations." And I've used the
- word "responsibilities." You understand the
- ¹⁶ difference, correct?
- A. In this context, I'm not sure I do.
 - ⁸ Q. Okay. I'm not using the word
- 19 "regulation." I'm not using the word "code." You
- ²⁰ understand that, right?
- A. You didn't use those words, yes, I
- ²² understand that.
- Q. And when I use the word "training,"
- ²⁴ at Walgreens, training was often done through

- ¹ PowerPoints or memos, things along those lines.
- ² You understand that, right?
- A. More toward to the stores. I don't
- 4 remember being trained as a corporate employee
- ⁵ using PowerPoint presentations.
- Q. So, you went to conferences and attended
- ⁷ conferences, correct?
- 8 A. I was reminded that I attended one
- ⁹ conference.
- Q. So, did you attend conferences or
- 11 meetings or continuing education or anything
- 12 explaining what Walgreens' responsibilities were as
- ¹³ a distributor?
- A. I remember at some point. I don't
- 15 remember the date. It was brought up in
- ¹⁶ discussions that I attended one seminar. It wasn't
- ¹⁷ direct to Walgreens' roles and responsibilities.
- 18 It was some company's presentation, and they were
- 19 trying to sell their order patterns.
- Q. That's the only time you remember any
- 21 continuing education, seminar, explanation, about
- ²² what Walgreens' responsibilities as a distributor
- ²³ were, correct?
- A. That wasn't a continuing education

- 1 A. I was trusting --
- 2 MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- ³ BY THE WITNESS:
- 4 A. -- our legal department to interpret the
- ⁵ responsibilities.
- 6 BY MR. MOUGEY:
 - Q. I understand. That's not the question
- 8 about who you were relying on. I asked did Barbara

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- 9 Martin have an understanding of what Walgreens'
- 10 responsibilities were as a distributor? Did you
- specifically, Barbara Martin, or were you relying
- 12 solely on other departments to fill that role?
- 3 A. I was relying on other departments to
- 14 fill that role, and as I've said over the course of
- 15 my years of experience, I've learned things. It's
- ¹⁶ hard to say what I learned when and when I learned
- ¹⁷ it. So, if I learned something in '09, I can't
- 18 recall if I learned it in '09, 2012 or two weeks
- 19 ago.
- Q. I didn't ask what year. I didn't ask
- 21 what month. I didn't ask two weeks ago. What I've
- 22 asked is: Does Barbara Martin have an
- ²³ understanding of what Walgreens' responsibilities
- 24 generally as a distributor are?

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- ¹ seminar. I wish it would have been. I would have
- ² at least gotten some credit.
- ³ Q. Right. But what I asked was: The only
- 4 time you remember any educational piece about what
- ⁵ Walgreens' duties or responsibilities were as a
- 6 distributor was a third-party conference that was
- ⁷ trying to sell a product? Yes?
- 8 A. Again, I wasn't there to interpret
- ⁹ Walgreens' regulations or responsibilities. I went
- 10 more interested in to see what this company's logic
- 11 was doing and how to compare it to ours.
- Q. And I appreciate that that you weren't
- 13 there to interpret. I know you're not a lawyer.
- 14 We have gone through your resume. I didn't ask if
- ¹⁵ you were there to interpret.
- What I've asked was: Other than the one
- 17 seminar given by a third party, was there any
- 18 instance generally where you were educated on
- 19 Walgreens' responsibilities as a distributor?
- A. I relied on other people to interpret
- 21 Walgreens' responsibilities.
- Q. So, you did not specifically have an
- ²³ understanding of what Walgreens' responsibilities
- ²⁴ were as a distributor, correct?

Page 69 MR. SWANSON: Object to form, asked and

- 2 answered.
- 3 BY THE WITNESS:
- 4 A. And I've relied on other people to
- 5 interpret what those responsibilities were. I
- 6 could -- once they would tell us what the
- 7 responsibilities were, I could then interpret that
- 8 into my job as to how to look at reports or
- 9 something like that if that was needed.
- 10 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. And where did you -- who told you what
- 12 Walgreens' responsibilities were as a distributor?
- A. We would have been relying on our legal
- 14 department, Dwayne Piñon and his team, to review
- and the team, to review
- 15 guidance.
- MR. MOUGEY: Let's take a break.
- 17 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: We are going off the record
- 18 at 10:15.
- 19 (WHEREUPON, a recess was had
- 20 from 10:15 to 10:31 a.m.)
- 21 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: We are back on the record
- 22 at 10:31.
- 23 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Ms. Martin, we are in '09, 2010 where

- 1 you are reviewing reports generated by Wayne
- ² Bancroft's algorithm.
- 3 In a general description, can you tell
- 4 me what other areas of responsibility you had with
- 5 Walgreens suspicious order monitoring?
- 6 A. At that time all I was really doing was
- ⁷ looking at these reports in regards to order
- 8 monitoring. I had a lot of other roles and
- ⁹ responsibility in inventory.
- Q. How many hours a week on average in '09
- 11 were you looking at these reports?
- 12 A. One to three maybe.
- Q. And do you have an understanding of how
- 14 many hours a week in '09 Marcie was looking at
- 15 these reports?
- 16 A. I do not.
- Q. How many reports would you look at
- ¹⁸ during the one to three hours a week?
- 19 A. It's difficult to quantify that. It
- 20 would depend on how easy they were to look at. The
- 21 one that we looked at, it's simple. 3 is smaller
- 22 than 5.
- 23 Q. Right.
- A. There were others that I might have had

- ¹ reports were being flagged on a weekly basis in
- 2 2009?
- ³ A. I don't remember.
 - Q. Thousands?
- 5 A. I wouldn't even want to take a guess.
- 6 Sorry.
- Q. Is there anywhere at Walgreens where the
- 8 orders that were being flagged by Wayne Bancroft's
- ⁹ algorithm were kept?
 - A. I don't believe that data is stored
- 11 anywhere.

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- Q. So, a report would populate and it would
- ¹³ just disappear into the Internet?
- A. The reports populated. They held for a
- period of time. I don't remember what that period
- ¹⁶ of time is or was. I know that our algorithms and
- 17 order of monitors and order of logic have been
- 18 evolved over the years; and with that, there would
- 19 have been different types of reporting that would
- have replaced the stuff I was looking at.
- Q. There were a batch of I'm going to say
- 22 20, 25 different individual pieces of paper printed
- 23 like the document I put in front of you as
- ²⁴ Martin -- I believe it was 2.

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- 1 to have done a much deeper dive into. So, no set
- ² number. Depends on...
- Q. Are we talking a dozen, 15? Are we
- 4 talking 1,000?
- 5 A. Definitely not 1,000.
- 6 Q. Are we talking several hundred?
- A. Again, it's -- it's hard to quantify.
- 8 Could be anywhere between 10 to 75. I really don't9 know.
- KHOW.
- Q. How about less than 100, more than 10 a
- 11 week? Is that fair? Somewhere in that range?
- 12 A. That sounds fine.
- Q. Did you and Marcie Ranick divide them up
- 14 in any way that she looked at some and you looked
- 15 at others?
- A. No. When she came down, we would spend
- 17 time together going through things, and then I'm
- 18 sure she was looking at stuff on her own. But I
- 19 don't know what she was doing.
 - Q. How would you determine, I'm going to
- call it a batch that you would look at, the 10 to
- 22 less than 100 you'd look at a week?
- A. Randomly pulling up reports.
- Q. Do you have an understanding of how many

Do you have an understanding of -- did

- ² you have a paper file of 20 or 25 of those reports
- ³ from Bancroft's algorithm?
- 4 A. I don't remember. I mean, I know I kept
- ⁵ a sample of the reports. How many they were, I
- 6 don't remember.
- 7 Q. Why did you keep a sample of the
- 8 reports?
- 9 A. I guess I just kept them just to see how
- 10 our system evolved over the years. I'm not really
- 11 sure why.
- Q. Did you look at them in preparation for
- 13 today?
- 14 A. There were a few that we looked at, yes.
 - ⁵ Q. All right. So, we've gone through your
- ¹⁶ participation in Walgreens' suspicious order
- monitoring policies up until 2009 I believe. Okay?
- Can you give me any more examples moving
- 19 forward in time of your different roles?
- A. In relationship to the order monitoring
- 21 process or my roles in general with inventory?
- Q. Walgreens -- as far as your role is what
- ²³ we're talking about, your role with reviewing
 - 4 procedures and policies, reports for Walgreens

- 1 implementing its responsibilities as a distributor.
- A. I wasn't responsible for writing SOPs
- ³ for Walgreens. I know that I provided information
- 4 for guidance for the stores and how to look up
- 5 things, but I wasn't writing SOPs.
- Q. Okay. And I'm -- I'm sorry. I don't
- ⁷ think I used the word "writing SOPs." So, just
- we're getting -- going through --
- A. Sorry. I misinterpreted what you said.
- 10 Q. General understanding. Seems to be a
- 11 little bit of a problem for the last two hours.
- 12 So, generally your roles with Walgreens
- 13 and its suspicious order monitoring policies, what
- are some of the roles you filled? That's what I'm
- asking you to describe to me.
- 16 So, you didn't write the policies. We
- 17 got that. You're not a lawyer. We got that.
- 18 You're not interpreting anything. I got that. You
- 19 can't remember any specific education or training
- with Walgreens as a distributor.
- 21 Just give me some general descriptions
- 22 of other duties you filled with Walgreens'
- 23 suspicious order monitoring policies.
- 24 MR. SWANSON: Object to the lawyer testifying,

- A. So, I would have been continuing to work
- ² with Marcie to help her review and understand these
- ³ reports. I would also work with her when she came
- down to look at the monthly and quarterly reports.
- Again, we had talked previously about me
- supplying data when it was requested regarding
- purchases.
- O. So, you continued to work with Marcie
- and help her review and understand the reports.
- That's one topic, right?
- 11 A. Um-hmm.
- 12 O. You also worked with her when she came
- down to look at the monthly and quarterly reports,
- 14 correct?
- 15 A. Right.
- 16 Q. Kind of the same area, right?
- 17 And then supplying data or data when
- asked, right?
- 19 A. Um-hmm.
- 20 Q. Is there any other roles Barbara Martin
- filled until the end of 2015 in relation to
- ²² Walgreens' suspicious order monitoring policies and
- procedures?
 - A. It's hard to think of something right

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- ¹ but you can answer the question if you understand
- ² it.
- ³ BY THE WITNESS:
- A. What time frame are you talking about?
- ⁵ BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. We are moving on from 2009. So, I think
- ⁷ we've captured everything up to 2009, correct?
- A. To the best of my recollection.
- Q. To the best of your recollection. So,
- 10 let's -- moving forward, give me some general
- 11 descriptions of your duties with Walgreens'
- 12 suspicious order monitoring policies and
- ¹³ procedures.
- 14 A. Again, what time -- we're looking at
- ¹⁵ 2010 now?
- 16 Q. I'm just -- you don't remember dates
- specifically.
- 18 A. No, that's what I'm trying to --
- 19 Q. I understand. I'm saying moving through
- ²⁰ '09 and afterwards. I'm giving you a really broad
- 21 window for you to generally describe to me what
- ²² Barbara Martin did in relation to Walgreens'
- 23 suspicious order monitoring policies and
- ²⁴ procedures.

- 1 off the top of my head. I'm sure I had
- ² correspondence and communication with other team

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- 3 members.
- Q. So, when we look at your resume,
- ⁵ Martin 1, the only entry I see on your entire
- 6 resume in relation to Walgreens' suspicious order
- 7 monitoring policies and procedures with regard to
- 8 its role as a distributor is that last entry,
- "assisted in the creation of the control drug order
- monitoring reports." Do you see anything else?
 - A. That's -- that's the one that talks
- 12 about order monitoring, yeah.
- 13 O. Right.

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- A. For potentially suspicious orders.
- Q. Anything else on your resume where
- you're describing your, Barbara Martin's, roles or
- duties in relation to Walgreens' suspicious order
- monitoring policies and procedures as a
- 19 distributor?
- 20 A. I -- I can't think of anything.
- 21 Q. All right. So, let me just make sure if
- ²² I can get a general understanding of what you were
- doing. 23
- 24 You helped create the drug order

- 1 monitoring reports, correct? By "create," you
- ² provided some input into the reports. Is that --
- 3 is that fair?
- A. Yeah, I mean, I didn't design the
- ⁵ report, but I looked at the data that was generated
- 6 off of the reports.
- Q. And you gave input on some of the data
- 8 that the reports were flagging. Is that fair?
- 9 A. Yes.
- Q. All right. You pulled data kind of on
- ¹¹ an ad hoc basis when people would ask. Is that
- 12 fair?
- 13 A. Yes.
- Q. All right. And you helped Nancy --
- 15 no -- Marcie Ranick interpret some of these reports
- ¹⁶ and understand the flow within the inventory. Is
- ¹⁷ that fair?
- ¹⁸ A. Yes.
- Q. All right. Am I kind of capturing your
- ²⁰ recollection of what Barbara Martin did in relation
- 21 to Walgreens as a distributor in relation to its
- ²² suspicious order monitoring policies and
- ²³ procedures?
- A. Yeah, I mean, there might have been

- ¹ corporate level, correct?
 - ² A. Um-hmm.
 - Q. So, post-2004, would you describe to me
- 4 what, if any, roles you had assisting Walgreens
- ⁵ with its compliance in its role as a distributor?
- 6 I'm sorry. As a pharmacy.
- A. I'm sorry. I'm struggling with how to
- 8 answer that question, because when I think of like
- ⁹ Walgreens as a pharmacy, I would think of each
- ¹⁰ individual pharmacy.
- Q. Fair enough. And if your answer is no,
- 12 I really didn't have jobs or duties in relation to
- 13 ensuring Walgreens was compliant in its role as a
- pharmacy, that was more at the pharmacy level, then
- 15 that's a fine answer.
- I'm just trying to understand what
- ⁷ Barbara Martin did and didn't do. So, if that was
- 18 something that you didn't do, that's okay. I just
- want to know so I can figure out what to do with
- the rest of our time.
- Did Barbara Martin have any jobs or
- $^{\rm 22}\,$ responsibilities or duties post-2004 where you were
- ²³ helping Walgreens with its compliance, good faith

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24 dispensing, as a pharmacy?

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- ¹ other things. Nothing comes to mind. And, again,
- ² I was more store-facing than distribution.
- Q. Now, let me maybe make sure you and I
- 4 aren't talking past each other and the use of the
- ⁵ word "distributor" maybe is causing you some
- 6 questions about your answer.
- ⁷ So, if I were to change the question and
- 8 say describe to me your roles, Barbara Martin's
- ⁹ roles, at Walgreens in relation to Walgreens
- 10 filling its role as a pharmacy through, for
- 11 example, good faith dispensing. Did you have
- 12 any -- did you have any duties in that respect?
- A. I was aware of good faith dispensing.
- 14 It was something that I was taught back in pharmacy
- 15 school. I practiced it when I was a pharmacist in
- 16 the stores. I wasn't involved with writing the
- Walgreens procedures for good faith dispensing, but
- 18 generally aware of them through my entire career
- 19 starting in school.
 - Q. So, you were a pharmacist, both a
- 21 staff -- an intern, a staff pharmacist and a
- 22 pharmacy manager all the way up to 2004, correct?
- 23 A. Yes.

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Q. So, post-2004, when you were more at the

MR. SWANSON: Object to form.

- ² BY THE WITNESS:
- ³ A. So, I mean, I wasn't really responsible
- ⁴ for interpreting the regulations. But what I did
- ⁵ focus on, again, we can go back to I was looking at
- 6 these reports and other data. You know, I'm sure I
- ⁷ had conversations with various groups. It's hard
- 8 to remember what I've done in the last 30 years.
- 9 But, again, these reports were a big job
- and then as we got out of these reports and the
- system got more sophisticated, I transitioned back
- ¹² into other inventory supporting roles.
- 13 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. But I think what you told me earlier
- ⁵ this morning is that you were pulling the data
- pulls and you weren't reviewing those. You were
- simply giving the data you were asked to pull to
- ¹⁸ the field. Correct?
- ¹⁹ A. Correct.
 - Q. So, let's partition that one aside.
- 21 Okay?

- So, the only reports that you were
- 23 looking at were the ones that you and Marcie were
- ²⁴ looking at during the pilot phase. Is that fair?

A. Yes.

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- Q. All right. So, and when I asked you
- 3 about what your jobs and responsibilities were, the
- 4 answer I have gotten back like 15, 20 times today
- ⁵ is that I'm not interpreting. And I'm not asking
- 6 you if you're interpreting because you're not a
- 7 lawyer, right?
- 8 A. No.
- 9 Q. You're not reading regs and codes and
- 10 opening up law books and looking at it on Google
- 11 and trying to figure out what Walgreens'
- 12 responsibilities were by looking at code, right?
- 13 A. Right.
- 14 Q. I'm not suggesting that you were. And
- 15 my question is a little different.
- So, what my question is: Just explain
- ¹⁷ your duties helping Walgreens ensure its compliance
- ¹⁸ with its role as a pharmacy through good faith
- 19 dispensing.
- A. One of the biggest things I did was just
- 21 work on these reports.
- Q. Okay. So, when you say reports, those
- ²³ are the Bancroft algorithm --
- 24 A. That example --

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- Q. Okay. So, is it fair to say that you're
- ² not really sure what the purpose of you looking at
- ³ the reports was other than to make sure the logics
- 4 made sense?
 - A. That's a fair assumption.
- 6 Q. That's fair?
- ⁷ A. Yes.

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- Q. All right. So, when you were looking at
- ⁹ these reports to make sure the logic makes sense,
- you, Barbara Martin, didn't have a general
- understanding of what the rules and regulations
- were with Walgreens as a distributor, correct?
 - A. I was relying on other people --
- 14 O. Yes.
- ¹⁵ A. -- to interpret that.
- Q. Again, where the disconnect is, when I
- ¹⁷ ask that question, you say, "I was relying on other
- 18 people." And, so, to me that -- and I apologize
- that we're talking past each other, but that to me
- doesn't answer my questions.
- 21 If you were relying on other people, did
- ²² you have an understanding is what I'm asking. By
- 23 saying "I'm relying on other people," you said,
- ²⁴ "No, I really didn't understand. I'm looking at

- 1 Q. -- reports, correct?
- A. That example that you showed, the Martin
- 3 2.
- Q. And that, you believe, was both ensuring
- ⁵ compliance with Walgreens as a distributor and
- 6 Walgreens as a dispenser, correct?
- ⁷ A. Again, I'm struggling with
- 8 interpretation of words. So, I was asked to look
- ⁹ at these reports and see if the logic was sound.
- 10 How that rolled up into any type of regulation,
- 11 that's where my role wouldn't have come into direct
- 12 play.
- 13 Q. I didn't use the word "regulation." I
- 14 didn't use the word "code."
- I simply asked that you believe your
- ¹⁶ role reviewing these reports was helping to assist
- with ensuring compliance with Walgreens as a
- 18 distributor and with Walgreens as a dispenser,
- 19 correct?
- A. When I first started looking at these
- ²¹ reports, quite frankly, I'm not sure I knew all of
- 22 that as far as Walgreens' responsibilities and
- ²³ roles. I was asked to look at these reports and
- ²⁴ interpret them.

- Page 85 ¹ this logic report. I am giving input but I didn't
- ² really have an understanding of the regulations."
- That's kind of what I am asking in a
- 4 long-winded way. Okay? So, I'll ask it again.
- 5 Not did somebody else do it, and that's okay if
- 6 they did, but I just need to know that.
- 7 Did Barbara Martin have an understanding
- 8 that when you were looking at those reports of what
- 9 Walgreens' general responsibilities were as a
- 10 distributor?
- A. Again, when I was looking at these
- 12 reports in this time frame, it's hard to know --
- 13 it's hard to remember what I know now and what I've
- 14 learned over the years as to what I knew then.
- When I became aware of Walgreens' responsibilities,
- 16 it's hard to say.
- And, again, even what I was aware of, it
- -8 was -- I left it up to other people to make sure
- 19 the regulations and responsibilities were being
- ²⁰ interpreted appropriately.
- Q. I'm not asking about interpretation.
- 22 I'm not asking. I just want to know what you
- ²³ understood. I'm not asking if you interpreted
- ²⁴ anything. I'm just asking your general

Page 86 ¹ understanding.

- ² Did you have a general understanding of
- ³ what Walgreens' responsibilities as a distributor
- ⁴ in 2009 and 2010 when you were looking at these
- ⁵ reports? Yes or no.
- A. I don't remember what I knew then.
- Q. Let's turn to -- you're aware that there
- 8 is an annual performance review as a Walgreen
- ⁹ employee, correct?
- 10 A. Yes.
- Q. All right. And it's several pages in
- 12 to -- actually, it's the third page in behind your
- 13 resume.
- All right. Do you see the first page?
- ¹⁵ It's P-WAG-1950.
- 16 A. Okay.
- Q. It says, "Barbara Martin, Supervisor,
- ¹⁸ Inventory Management System, WHS Customer
- 19 Solutions."
- Do you see that?
- ²¹ A. Yes.
- Q. And the reviewer is Denman Murray, and
- 23 he was your direct report as of the date of this
- $^{24}\,$ performance review dated 9/1/2010 to 8/31/2011.

- ¹ related to opiates, would it have been in your
 - ² performance review?
 - 3 MR. SWANSON: Object to form, foundation.
 - ⁴ BY THE WITNESS:
 - A. It was such a small portion of my job,
 - ⁶ so I would find it hard to believe that it was in
 - ⁷ past reviews.

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- 8 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- ⁹ Q. When you say in the past few years,
- ¹⁰ I'm looking for more --
 - A. Past reviews.
- Q. Past reviews. I'm sorry.
- I'm looking for more pre-2010. Do you
- ¹⁴ believe it was such a small portion of your job
- $^{15}\,$ pre-2010 that it's possible it wasn't even covered
- ¹⁶ in your review?
- A. Correct. The purpose of this type of
- 18 review is to look at some bigger projects, not
- every little task that people were doing --
- Q. Okay. So, if it's --
- A. -- in their jobs.
 - Q. I'm sorry. If it's a small little task,
- ²³ it typically wouldn't be included in your review.

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²⁴ That's your understanding?

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- Do you see that?
- ² A. I was actually his direct report.
- ³ Q. I'm sorry. Yes. Thank you. I said
- 4 that backwards.
- Now, if you would turn to what's page 5
- 6 of 16 and you'll see a bunch of black lines on the
- ⁷ exhibit.

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- 8 Have you reviewed this in preparation
- ⁹ for today?
- 10 A. I have not.
 - Q. Okay. You will see a bunch of black
- 12 lines here that your counsel has redacted. Okay.
- And the agreement was that we were
- ¹⁴ supposed to receive information regarding reviews
- ¹⁵ with opiate-related performance, including
- ¹⁶ marketing, legal, regulatory compliance with
- ¹⁷ opiate-related laws or rules. Okay?
- I'm a little confused as to why the
- ¹⁹ first one we received was dated September '10. Do
- ²⁰ you believe that you've had performance reviews
- 21 from your boss that reviewed your performance in
- ²² relation to opiates prior to September '10?
- A. I -- I can't remember.
 - Q. If you were doing material work in --

- 1 A. Correct.
- 2 Q. Okay.
- 3 MR. MOUGEY: So, Counsel, I would ask that if
- 4 we could double-check before 9 of '10, that we
- 5 didn't get anything before 9/10, which struck me as
- 6 a little odd given some of the prior testimony. If
- ⁷ you guys could double-check and even have somebody
- 8 look and maybe we missed it, but I don't think so.
- 9 And I have it -- I think the last report
- 10 is dated either '12 or '13. I believe it's 8/12.
- 11 No, I apologize. 8/13. So, the time period that I
- have is 9/10 to 8/13. It's the end date makes
- sense, but the beginning date doesn't.
- So, if you all will check and either we
- 15 missed it or it wasn't produced.
- MR. SWANSON: We can check. I disagree with
- your characterization of what makes sense and
- doesn't make sense. But we'll check and see what's
- 19 there.
- MR. MOUGEY: Be more than happy if you all
- would stipulate that such a small portion of
- 22 Ms. Barb Martin's job prior to '10 that it didn't
- 23 make it on her performance review, that would be
- 24 okay with us. So --

- 1 MR. SWANSON: We are not making any such
- ² stipulation.
- 3 MR. MOUGEY: If not --
- 4 MR. SWANSON: You probably knew that.
- 5 MR. MOUGEY: I would like even if the report
- 6 doesn't -- if Ms. Martin's report prior to 9/10
- ⁷ does not mention anything opiates-related, I'd
- 8 appreciate an affirmation of such so we're not left
- ⁹ wondering why it wasn't produced.
- 10 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Let's, if you would, turn to page 5 of
- 12 16.
- Now, as a Walgreens employee, do you
- 14 receive these reviews after your supervisor
- 15 provides their input?
- 16 A. Yes.
- 17 Q. Okay.
- A. It's more than that, but yes.
- Q. And if you would, let's go to page 5 of
- 20 16 where it says, "Enhancement of Suspicious Orders
- 21 Monitoring Process."
- Do you see that?
- 23 A. Yes.
- Q. It says, "Decrease number of false

- Q. And, so, these three entries that we
- ² just walked through at the top of page 5, you put
- 3 those entries in?
- 4 A. Yes.
 - Q. Who puts in the weight?
- 6 A. It's calculated by how many different
- ⁷ goals you put down. And if memory serves me
- 8 correct, because we've changed our process a few
- 9 times, that I believe that my manager could go in
- 10 and make some weighted higher than others. But
- 11 whether he did that or not on this, I don't
- 12 remember.
- Q. Tell me -- I'm sorry. I'm not following
- 14 you.
- What do you think the weight indicates?
- A. You can put down a number of different
- 17 goals. I could have put down two goals for the
- 18 year. I could have put down 15 goals for the year.
 - Q. Okay. Oh, I see.
- A. And then that breaks it down. So, if
- 21 you have two goals, each one would be weighted 50%
- 22 or one could be weighted 75 and one could be
- 23 weighted 25.
- Q. Would you link the goals to -- for

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- 1 positive hits on report." And that's kind of
- ² exactly what you were just showing me where I think
- ³ it was 5 and 3 and the numbers didn't make sense,
- 4 right?
- 5 A. Yes.
- 6 Q. All right. And then "Allow process to
- 7 include 52 weeks of history."
- 8 Is that just increasing the lookback of
- ⁹ data available for the reports?
- A. Right. I don't remember what the first
- 11 report used, if it was 13 weeks or 26 weeks, but I
- 12 know that we wanted to go back an entire year.
- Q. It was just increasing the lookback?
- 14 A. Data points.
- Q. Yes, ma'am. And it says, "Improve
- 16 accessibility of data on report."
- Do you have an understanding of what
- 18 that means?
- 19 A. Based on my words, again, this is going
- 20 back a number of years and trying to remember what
- 21 I meant when I wrote that, but my assumption would
- 22 be that I was trying to make it -- these reports
- 23 more reader, more reader friendly, more user
- ²⁴ friendly, easier to get to, easier to download.

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- example, the title is "Enhancement of Suspicious
 Order Monitoring Process." At least some of your
- ³ goals would have been linked to -- to that title?
- 4 A. This was one -- that was -- would have
- ⁵ been -- that title was one of my goals.
- 6 Q. Okay. Where are your goals on this
- ⁷ report?
- 8 A. I mean, some of them might have been
- ⁹ taken out if they weren't related to this
- ¹⁰ particular subject.
- Q. If it has a weight of 18%, something
- ¹² was --

- A. I would have had -- I don't even
- 14 remember my goals I put in for this year, to be
- ¹⁵ perfectly honest.
- Q. But do you see them here?
 - A. The rest, I mean, this is probably
- ¹⁸ another one that was taken out.
- Q. The part that's blacked out?
 - A. Yeah, below "Rating Scale" on page 4,
- the one after it, "Development Goals."
- Q. Let me just make sure I understand so I'm clear.
- That in order to have any weight

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- $^{\, 1} \,$ assigned, anything more than zero, some percentage
- ² of your goals had to be attributable to this
- ³ enhancement of suspicious orders monitoring
- 4 process, right?
- ⁵ A. 18% of my --
- 6 Q. Yes, ma'am.
- 7 A. -- goal.
- 8 Q. And your goals are typically contained
- ⁹ in this annual performance review that we're
- 10 looking at, correct?
- 11 A. Yes.
- Q. Okay. If you were looking at it and
- 13 these weren't all blacked out, you think your goals
- ¹⁴ are typically in here somewhere?
- ¹⁵ A. They should be in here.
- Q. Okay. Thank you. All right.
- Underneath the "Comments," it says,
- 18 "Barbara Martin (self)," and you type in, "Defined
- ¹⁹ early requirements document, meeting scheduled to
- discuss enhancements and request funding."
- 21 Correct?
- A. That's what it says.
- Q. What does the "request funding" mean?
- A. So, Walgreens is a big company. It has

- A. That might be my misinterpretation.
- Q. No, it's probably about right.
- So, compliance you think your
- ⁴ interpretation is encompassed under the legal
- 5 umbrella?
- 6 A. They might feel differently.
 - Q. Okay. And Mr. Murray relays that
- ³ "Progress has been very slow, most of the delay has
- 9 been because of IT."
 - Is that consistent with your
- 11 recollection?
- A. I really don't remember. So, it's nice
- 13 to see this document to help me remember.
- Q. So, what we went through this morning,
- 15 meaning you reviewing the reports with Marcie
- ¹⁶ Ranick, providing input, false hits, that is what's
- encompassed on page 5 of 16, correct?
- 18 A. Yes.
- Q. All right. So, if we could, let's go to
- 20 the next -- it's kind of difficult to navigate
- 21 because there is -- it's the next report dated
- ²² 9 of '11 to August 31. It's annual performance
- 23 review. It's after page 16 of 16. It's the next
- 24 page.

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- ¹ a lot of departments. Any time we want to do any ¹
- ² type of change to an existing program, we have to
- ³ go out and request funding to ask for that program
- 4 to be implemented.
- ⁵ Q. Do you have an understanding of who
- 6 ultimately, which group within Walgreens, funded
- ⁷ the program?

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- A. At this point I don't remember for sure.
- 9 Q. Do you have a couple of groups that you
- 10 could recall that would have funded it?
- 11 A. Our inventory team would have been one
- 12 of the groups --
- 13 Q. Okay.
- 14 A. -- funding it.
- Q. Anybody else?
- A. This is guessing because I don't
- 17 remember at this point. But besides our team, it
- 18 could have possibly have been IT. It could have
- 19 been our legal department. It could have been Loss
- ²⁰ Prevention. I don't remember.
- Q. Is there a compliance department?
- A. Yeah, I think I usually lump them in
- 23 with legal.
- Q. Okay.

So, go to page 16 and then the next one

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- ² begins anew. Does that make sense?
- A. Yes.
- ⁴ Q. All right. Again, the reviewer is
- ⁵ Mr. Murray, your boss, right?
- 6 A. Yes.
- ⁷ Q. And if you turn to page 5 of 16,
- 8 "Complete Suspicious Ordering Reports" from
- ⁹ 9 of '11 to August of '12. Do you see that?
- ¹⁰ "Status, Completed."
- 11 A. Yes.
- Q. "Design reporting of suspicious ordering
- 13 system to be compliant with DEA regulations.
- ¹⁴ Expect to pilot February/March of 2012."
 - Do you see that?
- 16 A. Yes.

- Q. Now, why did you think that the system
- 8 was compliant with DEA regulations?
- ¹⁹ A. I was probably writing words that
- someone else gave to me.
- Q. So, you didn't have an understanding of
- ²² whether or not this was compliant with DEA
- ²³ regulations. You were relying on someone else
- ²⁴ telling you that?

1 A. Right.

- Q. Because you didn't really have a general
- ³ understanding of the DEA regs. Somebody was
- 4 telling you what they were?
- ⁵ A. Correct.
- 6 Q. And if they said they complied with DEA
- ⁷ regs, you relied on them?
- 8 A. Yes.
- 9 Q. And who was it that told you that the
- 10 suspicious ordering system was compliant with DEA
- 11 regs?
- 12 A. We would have been relying on our legal
- 13 team.
- Q. That's Mr. Piñon?
- ¹⁵ A. Yes.
- Q. And those in his office?
- 17 A. Yes.
- Q. Now, I just want to make sure we're
- 19 still talking about the same suspicious ordering
- ²⁰ reports.
- These were the -- these are the Bancroft
- ²² algorithm reports, correct?
- A. I believe so. At 2012, our logic might
- ²⁴ have been getting more sophisticated.

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- Q. But the foundation of the suspicious
- ² order monitoring policies and reports remained that
- ³ Bancroft algorithm, correct?
- 4 And I understand that there were changes
- 5 and enhancements, but we're not talking about a
- 6 whole different type of reporting system is all I'm
- ⁷ trying to get to.
- 8 A. I mean, I --
- 9 MR. SWANSON: Object on foundation.
- 10 BY THE WITNESS:
- 11 A. We were trying to make the reporting,
- 12 you know, more online and more user friendly than
- 13 this.
- 14 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Okay. And I understand there were
- 16 changes and modifications and tweaks. I just want
- 17 to make sure that the reports that you started with
- 18 in 9 are the continuation and enhancements are what
- 19 you're referring to here in the suspicious ordering
- 20 reports?
- A. I believe so, yes.
- Q. Okay. Thank you. Now, do you have a
- 23 recollection of what you meant by "Expect to pilot
- ²⁴ February/March of '12"?

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- A. That means that whatever changes we had
- ² made to the reporting, that I felt that we would be
- ³ ready. Piloting means that we put it in a group of
- ⁴ stores to see if it's doing what we expect it to do
- 5 and does no harm.
 - Q. So, now, again, your weight is 20% and
- you think that's the number of your goals that are
- ⁸ linked with suspicious ordering reports. Do you
- ⁹ see that? The 20% on the next page?
 - A. Yes, I see that.
- Q. You don't see your goals in the previous
- 12 pages, correct?
- A. Well, this, again, this would have been
- one of the goals I had submitted for that year.
- Q. Comments below, "Barbara Martin: The
- 16 rollout of the dashboard has been completed."
- What are you referring to? Which
- 18 dashboard?
- A. That would have been what I have been
- ²⁰ talking about with these reports, making them more
- ²¹ user friendly, more easily to access and putting
- 22 them on some type of a database where we could
- 23 download forms rather than print out individual
- 24 pieces of paper.

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- Q. So, to me -- what do you mean by the
- 2 word "dashboard"?
- A. Something that would be a computer
- 4 program that you could pull up and then search.
 - Q. So, there might be a metric on the
- 6 dashboard that you could click on and the -- it
- ⁷ would be an interface with a database that would
- 8 organize data. Does that make sense?
- 9 A. Yeah, like in this case we could type in
- 10 a store number and see orders or something like
- 11 that.

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- Q. Were there -- did you have a specific
- 13 name for this dashboard?
- A. I don't remember what it was called.
- ⁻⁵ I'm sure -- it had to have been named something.
- Q. Are you familiar with Tableau? No?
- 17 That doesn't ring a bell?
 - A. Sorry. No.
- 19 Q. No. Okay. Do you know who used this
- 20 dashboard once it was rolled out? What department?
 - A. I believe it would have been my team and
- ²² Marcie Ranick's team; and depending on the level of
- 23 access, it could even have been down to like field
- ²⁴ leadership, district managers and things like that.

- ¹ I don't remember.
- Q. Okay. But it was more than one group
- ³ that relied on this dashboard?
- 4 A. It would have been at least my team and
- ⁵ Loss Prevention, if nothing else.
- Q. So, was the way the dashboard worked
- ⁷ that if you wanted to drill down into a specific
- 8 store, you could just kind of click through from
- ⁹ the dashboard?
- A. It's been a long time since I've seen
- 11 this dashboard or worked on it. I believe that we
- 12 could have searched by store, drug, dates, probably
- ¹³ several other fields.
- Q. The user could drive the queries of what
- 15 they were trying to look for on the dashboard. Is
- 16 that a fair statement?
- A. That's ultimately what I hope we would
- ¹⁸ have designed.
- Q. Okay. And that was in place of having
- ²⁰ kind of auto-populated reports, that individuals
- 21 could use the dashboard instead?
- ²² A. Yes.
- Q. And those reports -- I'm going to use
- ²⁴ queries -- from the dashboard wouldn't be saved or

- Q. The dashboard didn't give access to --
- ² to the residence, state of residence of the
- ³ patient?
- 4 MR. SWANSON: Object to form, foundation.
- ⁵ BY THE WITNESS:
- 6 A. I don't remember one way or the other if
- ⁷ it did.
- 8 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- 9 Q. Did the dashboard have access to the
- prescriber as far as identifying who it was?
- MR. SWANSON: Same objection.
- 12 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. I don't think it did.
- 14 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Did the data have access to a specific
- patient history of how many times they've submitted
- 17 prescriptions to Walgreens?
- MR. SWANSON: Same objection.
- 19 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. No. It definitely would not have had
- 21 that.
- 22 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Definitely. Mr. Murray relays, "The
- 24 dashboard was completed and rolled out. The

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- ¹ auto-saved in any particular folder or shared drive
- ² or anything?
- ³ MR. SWANSON: Objection; foundation.
- ⁴ BY THE WITNESS:
- ⁵ A. I don't know.
- 6 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- ⁷ Q. Let me see if I can do it this way.
- 8 The dashboard was used to have unique
- ⁹ queries for the user to drill down on Walgreens
- 10 data?
- A. Related to ordering of controlled
- 12 substances.
- Q. Yes, ma'am. And that the data related
- 14 to ordering of controlled substances included both
- dispensing data and inventory data, correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form, foundation.
- 17 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. No, it did not have dispensing data.
- 19 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. So, tell me what kind of data it had in
- ²¹ there, then.
- A. It -- again, it's been a long time since
- ²³ I've looked at this report. Our focus would have
- ²⁴ been more on ordering habits.

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- 1 version available today does not totally meet the
- 2 needs of the business, many changes are needed."
- What -- do you have an understanding of
- 4 what he was referring to there?
- 5 MR. SWANSON: Foundation objection.
- 6 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. It's been so long I don't remember.
- 8 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- 9 Q. "Rx inventory team needs to work closer
- 10 with the other business units to have a successful
- 11 evolution of SOM."
- Do you see that?
- 13 A. Yes, I see that.
 - Q. Any understanding what that is?
 - A. Again, this is so long ago. Obviously,
- 16 Denny feels that we weren't working with another --
- Definity feels that we weren't working with another
- enough other departments or we needed to bring in
- 18 more departments. I don't know what those
- 19 departments are. But we would have needed to bring
- 20 in more groups to get their input to make sure that
- 21 this dashboard had everything that everyone needed.
- Q. Okay. And now we're into '12. Was it
- 23 consistent that your kind of average weekly time
 - 4 commitment to the suspicious order monitoring is

- 1 still in the same of a few hours a week?
- ² A. Yes.
- Q. Okay. So, that year ends on page 16,
- ⁴ and if you would turn to the next year dated 9/2 --
- ⁵ 9/1/2012 to 8/31/2013.
- 6 And more specifically, on the 9/1/2012
- ⁷ to 8/31/2013, if you'd look at page 5 of 17,
- 8 "Develop SOM/CSR Toolkit."
- 9 Do you see that?
- 10 A. Yes.
- O. And SOM/CSR. What is CSR?
- A. Controlled substance review.
- Q. And what is a --
- A. Excuse me. Controlled substance
- ¹⁵ reporting.
- Q. Okay. And what is -- is controlled
- ¹⁷ substance reporting something different than what
- ¹⁸ we have been talking about the first couple hours
- 19 this morning?
- ²⁰ A. Probably not. Just newer versions and
- ²¹ reiterations.
- Q. Continue --
- A. Improvements.
- Q. I'm sorry. Continued improvements?
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- 1 A. Yes.
- Q. And "Work with the Pharmaceutical
- 3 Integrity team." Do you have an understanding of
- 4 when the Pharmaceutical Integrity team was created?
- 5 A. Yeah, I mean, roughly in this time
- 6 period. I don't remember exactly when they were
- ⁷ founded.
- 8 Q. Somewhere in late '12, early 2013?
- 9 A. Yes.
- Q. And you worked with the Pharmaceutical
- 11 Integrity team, IT, legal, supply chain and LP.
- 12 That's Loss Prevention, right?
- 13 A. Yes.
- Q. "To develop and evolve a dynamic
- 15 Suspicious Order Monitoring/Controlled Substance
- 16 Reporting toolkit that will maintain the integrity
- 17 of the Company's distribution of controlled
- 18 substances."
- Do you see that?
- A. Yes, I see that.
- Q. What do you mean by -- and you wrote
- 22 that, correct?
- A. I believe that this was a joint goal by
- ²⁴ a number of different people. I probably would not

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- ¹ have used the word "dynamic." Doesn't mean that
- ² that's not the correct context. That's just not a
- 3 word that --
- Q. Little fancier than maybe you would have
- ⁵ done.
- 6 How about "maintain the integrity of the
- ⁷ Company's distribution." Do you have any
- 8 understanding what that relates to?
- 9 A. Again, I feel that that might have been,
- 10 as you can see, that the number of different teams
- 11 that were involved with this, integrity, IT, legal,
- 12 supply chain, LP, I'm going to say "maintain the
- 13 integrity" was probably supplied by the legal team.
- Q. But you don't have an understanding of
- what that means?
- A. I mean, I understand those words, but to
- get into the specifics of what it would be
- 18 required, again, I would have relied on other
- 9 teams.

- Q. Again, you mentioned the dashboard below
- 21 and that you were going to support the
- 22 pharmaceutical team, correct?
 - A. The integrity team.
- Q. Yes, sir -- yes, ma'am. Thank you.
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- In the bottom here under Mr. Murray's
- ² comments that "With the advent of Pharmaceutical
- ³ Integrity, your involvement in this program has
- 4 waned, which was expected and needed."
 - Is that accurate?
- 6 A. Yes, that as the integrity team grew and
- ⁷ developed and became more robust and understood
- 8 their jobs, I wouldn't be needed. They would take
- over this.
- Q. So, as 2013 progressed, your involvement
- 11 became less and less and less?
- 12 A. Absolutely.
- Q. So, it was a few hours maybe in earlier
- ¹⁴ years, '9, '10, '11, '12, even got smaller than
- 15 that?
- A. Yeah, a few hours a week to a few hours
- ¹⁷ a month or down to zero.
- Q. So, we're now kind of, you know, down to
- ¹⁹ zero. We've now kind of covered the whole period
- 20 here that you recall from -- I think we started off
- ²¹ in late 8/2009 all the way up to 2012.
- On average, you think your hourly
- 23 involvement in this process was less than 10 hours
- ²⁴ a week throughout this entire time period,

Page 110 Page 112 1 sometimes it might have gotten a little more but 1 Martin 3. ² sometimes it was a little less, but on average five (WHEREUPON, a certain document was 3 3 to ten hours a week? marked as Walgreens-Martin Exhibit A. It's hard to quantify. I'm sorry. I No. 3: 4/10/12 e-mail string; 5 just don't remember. WAGMDL00580316 - 00580318.) Q. It was not a significant -- we've just BY MR. MOUGEY: ⁷ gone through four years, five years. And you've Q. All right. Ms. Martin, this is an 8 never told me that this was a material part of your e-mail from your boss, Mr. Murray, to yourself 9 job. The weights that we're looking at are all 10, dated 4/10/12. Do you see yourself in the "To" 10 18, 20% of your time. Isn't that -- I'm sorry. Of 10 line? 11 your goals. Isn't that indicative of how much of 11 A. I see myself. I also see Mike Bleser. 12 your overall job duties suspicious order monitoring 12 Q. Yes, ma'am. Thank you. 13 policies were? And the e-mail is discussing who was 14 MR. SWANSON: Object to the preface. Go ahead responsible for monitoring the suspicious ordering 15 and answer if you can. dashboard, amongst other information. 16 BY THE WITNESS: 16 Do you see that? 17 17 A. The weights could vary based on the A. I'd have to read this. 18 amount of time you spend on a project or the 18 Q. Go ahead. Take your time. 19 weights could be how important your boss thought 19 I'll tell you. Why don't we just start 20 that project was compared to other projects. at the back and we'll work our way through and give 21 BY MR. MOUGEY: you a chance to look at it. Okay? 22 Q. Can you point me to any point in time A. Sure. 23 23 from late '08 when we started all the way to end of Q. So, the very back is where the e-mail 24 '12, that your week-to-week involvement in 24 chain starts. It's from Mike Bleser to Frank Page 111 Page 113 1 Destefano, Jeffrey Berkowitz, your boss, Denman suspicious order monitoring policies and ² procedures, reviewing reports, was ever more than ² Murray, and William Groth, correct? ³ five to ten hours a week? A. Yes, I see that. A. It's -- it's been so long, I can't put Q. So, this includes both your boss and ⁵ hours to it. I really don't remember how much your boss's boss, correct? 6 time. It wasn't a significant amount of time, but A. Correct. Q. And the subject line is "Update," dated ⁷ I'd hate to quantify it. 8 April 6, 2012. The Bates number is 5801 -- 0317, 8 Q. Let's not qualify it. You're comfortable with your language and it references "Jupiter DC fills 128 different ¹⁰ that you previously provided that the suspicious 10 C2," that's Class II, correct? 11 order monitoring policies and procedures from '08 11 A. Yes. Schedule II drugs. 12 to the point where it got down to zero and it waned Q. "NDC" codes, and that's identifying was a small portion of your time? 13 which C-IIs, correct? 14 14 MR. SWANSON: Object to form. A. Yes. "For 2,471 stores," and it lists, 15 BY MR. MOUGEY: 16 "Perrysburg and Woodland DCs service the remaining 16 Q. Are you comfortable with that? stores." 17 A. Sure. 17 18 Q. Ms. Martin, I have a series of documents 18 And Perrysburg is in Ohio, correct? 19 that I just had some general questions on that I 19 ²⁰ didn't quite understand and I was hoping you could 20 Q. Right outside of Toledo, correct? 21 help me with? 21 A. I'm not good geographically in Ohio. 22 MR. MOUGEY: What number are we on? 22 Q. And Woodland DC is California, correct? 23 23 Yes. THE REPORTER: 3 is next. A. 24 24 MR. MOUGEY: This is Polster 3 -- I'm sorry. "On a once-a-week basis. Initial plan

- ¹ in the event of a Jupiter C2 shutdown."
- 2 Do you understand why internally your
- ³ boss and your boss's boss were discussing a Jupiter
- 4 shutdown as early as April 6, 2012?
- 5 MR. SWANSON: Object to foundation.
- 6 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. Again, it's hard to remember what I
- 8 would have known then versus what I've learned now.
- 9 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Okay. Well, why don't you help me with
- 11 why there was a discussion in April 6 of 2012 about
- 12 Jupiter 2 shutting down.
- 13 MR. SWANSON: Foundation. Objection.
- 14 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. I wasn't on this e-mail. It was
- 16 forwarded to me several e-mails after that. So,
- ¹⁷ why they were writing this, I'm uncomfortable
- 18 speculating.
- 19 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Okay. That would be pretty big news if
- 21 you got a -- here you are in inventory and supply
- 22 chain and you get an e-mail about one of your
- 23 distribution centers shutting down. That would be
- 24 kind of something you'd pay attention to, wouldn't

- Q. And he says, he responds, "To clarify,
 - ² Loss Prevention," and that's his department, the
 - ³ guy sending this e-mail, Edward, correct?
 - A. This is his e-mail, yes.
 - Q. Yes, ma'am. He says, "Loss Prevention
 - ⁶ has not been responsible for reporting and taking
 - ⁷ action with direct supervision since January '11 as
 - 8 you state in your e-mail. We did agree to assist
 - ⁹ with the analysis and design of the reporting. The
 - 10 Rx purchasing team still has the responsibility to
 - ensure the proper balance between in-stock
 - ¹² condition, while limiting excess on-hand
 - 13 quantities."
 - 14 Is Rx purchasing team, is that your
 - ¹⁵ department?
 - 6 A. Yes.
 - Q. That's one of the names that we changed
 - 18 over time. So, that's your group?
 - A. Yeah, under Mike Bleser, yes.
 - Q. Yes, ma'am. And when I say "your
 - 21 group," that's part of the group you worked in
 - ²² under Ms. Bleser -- Mr. Bleser and Mr. Murray,

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- 23 correct?
- ²⁴ A. Yes.

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- 1 it?
- ² MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- ³ BY THE WITNESS:
- 4 A. That's why my boss and my boss's boss
- ⁵ are involved with this.
- 6 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- ⁷ Q. So, the Jupiter distribution center is
- ⁸ one of just a few distribution centers that ship
- ⁹ Schedule II opiates and narcotics, correct?
- A. Correct. At the time we had three
- 11 distribution centers that handled C-IIs.
- Q. And the e-mail is forwarded to --
- ¹³ actually, Mr. Ed -- I never can pronounce his name
- 14 right. Svihra?
- ¹⁵ A. Svihra.
- Q. Svihra. And he is in Loss Prevention,
- 17 right?
- ¹⁸ A. Correct.
- Q. At the corporate level in Deerfield,
- 20 correct?
- 21 A. Yes.
- Q. And he e-mails your boss's boss,
- 23 correct?
- 24 A. Yes.

- 1 Q. Along with a bunch of other people,
- ² correct?
- 3 A. Yes.
- 4 Q. Now, Mr. Murray responds to Ed's e-mail
- 5 and copies you, correct, at the very top of the
- 6 page?
- 7 MR. SWANSON: Object to form, mischaracterizes
- 8 the document.
- 9 BY THE WITNESS:
- 10 A. On the e-mail we're looking at now, yes,
- 11 it's Denny, myself and Mike Bleser.
- 12 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Yes, ma'am. So, Mr. Murray responds to
- 14 Mike Bleser's e-mail and copies you, correct?
- A. No. He's responding to Ed's e-mail.
- Q. There is an e-mail right in the middle
 - of the page. Do you see -- I got confused too. Do
- you see Mike Bleser's e-mail in the middle?
- 19 A. I didn't see that.
 - O. I didn't either at first.
- Do you see the "Let's discuss"
- 22 underneath that?
- 23 A. Yes.

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Q. I just forgot it. So, we see Mike

- ¹ Bleser. He responds, includes you, and says,
- ² "Let's discuss," correct?
- 3 A. Yes.
 - Q. Okay. Now let's go to the top of the
- ⁵ page where we just were and I missed it.
- So, this is Mr. Murray responding to
- ⁷ Mr. Bleser's e-mail about "Let's discuss," correct?
- 8 A. Yes.
- ⁹ Q. And you're on the chain and he,
- ¹⁰ Mr. Murray says, "I agree with Ed 100%. Our
- 11 systems," and he gives a bunch of acronyms, "are
- ¹² designed to keep all prescription drugs at good
- 13 in-stock conditions while limiting excess
- 14 inventory."
- Do you agree with that statement?
- A. That was our intention --
- Q. Yes, ma'am.
- ¹⁸ A. -- with how we designed ordering logic.
- Q. And "The Suspicious Order program
- ²⁰ prohibits ordering of controlled substances outside
- 21 of the tolerance limits."
- That is the logic program that you've
- ²³ been referencing this morning, correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.

- Q. We just looked in your personnel review
- ² where you reference a dashboard being completed,
- 3 and I asked you who was responsible for reviewing
- 4 that dashboard.
- 5 Do you agree that LP, Loss Prevention,
- 6 was responsible for reviewing that dashboard?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 8 BY THE WITNESS:
- 9 A. Walgreens is a big company. There were
- o a number of different departments. So, I don't
- 1 remember who took ownership.
- Looking at this e-mail, Denny is saying
- 13 that this should be more LP's responsibility than
- 14 our team's responsibility; and that would have
- 15 probably corresponded with some of my past comments
- 16 that we've had today where I was more in an
- 17 assistant role working with Marcie.
- 18 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Yes, ma'am. And what this e-mail is
- 20 discussing was internal confusion at Walgreens
- 21 about who was responsible for reviewing the
- 22 suspicious ordering dashboard, correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form, foundation.

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24 BY THE WITNESS:

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¹ BY THE WITNESS:

- A. Again, there have been several
- ³ iterations. I don't know what logic we're running
- 4 at this point. I can't remember.
- ⁵ Q. I understand. But we can agree that
- ⁶ there is a logic system that went through several
- ⁷ reiterations, correct?
- 8 A. Yes.
- 9 Q. And that was Walgreens' suspicious order
- 10 monitoring program that you were familiar with,
- 11 correct?
- 12 A. Yes.
- Q. So, this sentence that says "The
- 14 Suspicious Order program," you take -- you
- understand that to be the logic, that program and
- 16 the reiterations that you were working on, correct?
- 17 A. Correct.
- Q. The last sentence says, "LP," and that's
- 19 Loss Prevention, correct?
- ²⁰ A. Yes.
- Q. "Is responsible for monitoring the
- ²² Suspicious Ordering dashboard."
- Do you see that?
- 24 A. Yes.

- A. Again, you're asking me to kind of
- ² speculate. I didn't write this e-mail. Denny did.
- ³ I can try to interpret his words, but I don't
- 4 really want to comment for him.
- Q. I'm not asking you to comment. I'm
- 6 asking your understanding of this e-mail.
- Your understanding of this e-mail is
- 8 there was confusion between Mr. Svihra's department
- 9 and Mr. Bleser's department, yours, about who was
- 10 responsible for monitoring the suspicious ordering
- 11 dashboard, correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form and foundation.
- 13 BY THE WITNESS:
- 14 A. It's hard for me to interpret that.
- 15 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Hard for you to interpret this too?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to the comment.
- MR. MOUGEY: That's a question.
- 19 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. It's hard for you to interpret this too?
- 21 This is difficult for you to interpret?
- MR. SWANSON: Okay. Then asked and answered.
- 23 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. This is difficult for you to interpret,

Page 122 Page 124 1 this e-mail that you're copied on with you and your 1 daily basis the suspicious order monitoring ² boss's boss discussing who was responsible for the ² dashboard, correct? ³ dashboard, that's difficult for you to interpret? No one asked me to. MR. SWANSON: Object to form. Q. Yes, ma'am. I hand you what we will 5 mark as Martin 4. 5 BY THE WITNESS: A. I didn't write this e-mail. (WHEREUPON, a certain document was 7 ⁷ BY MR. MOUGEY: marked as Walgreens-Martin Exhibit 8 Q. So, the answer is yes, it's difficult No. 4: Document, first line, 9 for you to interpret? "6 - Retain an outside consultant A. I don't want to put words in someone 10 10 to audit your DEA compliance"; 11 WAGMDL00709393.) 11 else's mouth. 12 12 BY MR. MOUGEY: Q. I'm not asking you to put words in 13 someone else's mouth. I'm asking you what you Q. There's a few documents that I believe 14 understood. 14 were pulled from your files, and I don't know necessarily what they are and I was hoping you 15 So, your answers to me today repeatedly 16 have said, "I don't want to interpret." I'm not could help me. asking you to interpret what someone else said. 17 So, this Bates number is WAGMDL709393, ¹⁸ I'm asking what you understood. and it -- it's P-WAG-205 and it begins with "6." 19 So, what I'm -- I'll ask you again just Do you see that? 20 to make sure there was any confusion about whether A. Yes. I see that. 20 21 21 I was asking about what Mr. Bleser was Q. And the first line says, "Retain an 22 outside consultant to audit your DEA compliance. ²² interpreting. 23 At a minimum, this consultant should conduct annual Do you, Barb Martin, understand that 24 there was confusion about who was responsible for 24 site visits to ensure the consistency of the Page 123 Page 125 1 reviewing the suspicious order monitoring 1 registrant's," it says, "SOPs," that's standard ² operating procedures, correct? ² dashboard? 3 MR. SWANSON: Object to form. A. Yes. 4 BY THE WITNESS: Q. "Compliance with DEA regulations, and A. Again, I wasn't the one that was writing ⁵ adherence with the company's established program 6 this e-mail. for detecting suspicious orders." ⁷ BY MR. MOUGEY: Do you see that? Q. I think -- I get that. I understand. 8 A. That's what it says. ⁹ You didn't write it. And I'm not asking you to Q. Okay. Do you have an understanding or 10 interpret what somebody else said. recollection of where this came from? 11 11 What I've asked you is: Is it your A. I have absolutely no idea where this 12 understanding that there was confusion about whose 12 came from. 13 responsibility it was to review the suspicious Q. I will represent to you that it was 14 order monitoring dashboard? 14 produced as part of your files with your name on 15 it. You don't have any recollection of where this 15 A. Well, since I was working with Marcie ¹⁶ and I was helping her, I was under the assumption 16 came from? 17 ¹⁷ that she had a larger role. That was my A. If it was in my files, then my ¹⁸ interpretation of her responsibilities. assumption is I picked this up in a meeting 19 Q. Yes, ma'am. That Marcie and that Loss somewhere and put it in a file, and that's the best

²⁰ Prevention, your understanding was, they were

Q. Okay. And you weren't reviewing on a

21 reviewing the suspicious order monitoring

22 dashboard, correct?

A. Yes.

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Q. Do you have an understanding of whether

22 Walgreens ever hired an outside consultant to audit

A. I don't know one way or another.

²⁰ I can give you. Sorry.

23 its DEA compliance?

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- 1 Q. It's I think consistent with what you've
- ² told me this morning is that you did not perceive
- ³ your job to ensure Walgreens' compliance with DEA
- 4 rules and regs regarding its role as a distributor,
- 5 correct?
- 6 A. I was relying on other people's
- ⁷ interpretations of the rules and regulations.
- O. I know. And we're back to that word
- ⁹ "interpretation." I didn't ask you if you
- 10 interpreted anything.
- All I simply asked was you did not
- 12 perceive your job to ensure Walgreens' compliance
- 13 with DEA rules and regs regarding its role as a
- 14 distributor, correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 16 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Yes or no. Was that part of your job?
- A. Again, it goes back to I wasn't
- 19 responsible for the regulations. Someone said,
- 20 "Look at this report. Look at this data. Does it
- 21 make sense? Pull this."
- Q. And you -- your job wasn't to say, "I've
- 23 looked at this report, I've looked at the
- ²⁴ responses," and comparing that to what Walgreens'

- A. I don't recognize them. It's obviously
- ² instructions on how to pull something.
- Q. Well, help me because it's not obvious
- 4 to me. So, "Open Windows SQL. Enter password and

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- 5 user name."
- 6 So, you're trying to enter into what?
 - A. Again, there is really not a lot of
- 8 context on this form. My assumption is that this
- 9 is the order monitoring system when we have talked
- 10 about moving from the old reporting to a dashboard.
- 11 I think this might be how to get into that
- 12 dashboard. I mean, there really isn't a lot of
- information on this sheet of paper other than some
- 14 instructions.
- Q. In the upper left-hand corner, do you
- see the words "Suspicious Orders," correct?
- 17 A. Um-hmm.
- Q. There is no "potential" in front of it,
- 19 correct?
- A. There is no "potential" in front of it.
- Q. There is no "possible" in front of it,
- 22 right?
- 23 A. Correct.
- Q. Just says "Suspicious Orders," correct?

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- 1 obligations were as a distributor, correct?
- A. I wasn't asked to do that.
- ³ Q. You were just looking at reports?
- 4 A. Correct.
- ⁵ Q. You had no idea what the structure was
- 6 of the rules and regulations. You were relying on
- ⁷ somebody else, correct?
- 8 A. Correct.
- 9 Q. I'm sorry if you already answered this.
- 10 But are you aware of whether or not Walgreens ever
- 11 hired an outside vendor to audit Walgreens'
- 12 compliance with DEA rules and regs?
- A. I don't know one way or another.
- Q. Okay. I'm going to hand you what --
- ¹⁵ hand you what we'll mark as Martin 5.
- 16 (WHEREUPON, a certain document was
- marked as Walgreens-Martin Exhibit
- No. 5: Document, "Suspicious
- 19 Orders"; WAGMDL00709431.)
- 20 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. I believe this is another document,
- ²² Bates No. 709431, that came from your custodial
- 23 files.
- Do you recognize these notes?

- A. Correct.
- Q. And it appears that after running a
- ³ query, there are orders cut-and-pasted into an
- 4 Excel file, correct?
- 5 MR. SWANSON: Object to form and foundation.
- 6 BY THE WITNESS:
- 7 A. That's my assumption.
- 8 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- 9 Q. I don't want you to assume when it says
- 10 it right here on the page. It says, "Open up the
- 11 query that is saved in documents," correct?
- 12 A. Yes. But I don't know what's in that
- 13 document.
- Q. All right. We know it has something to
- do with suspicious orders up there in the left-hand
- 16 side, don't we?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form, foundation.
- 18 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. It has to do with the order monitoring
- 20 process, yes.
- 21 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. And it says, "Change the date ranges."
 - Do you see that the dates in parens?
- 24 A. Yes.

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1	Q. How do you change those date ranges?	1	thing?
2	MR. SWANSON: Objection; foundation.	2	Q. Yes, ma'am.
3	BY THE WITNESS:	3	A. That is not my handwriting.
4	A. I really don't know. I'm sorry.	4	Q. That's not your handwriting.
5	BY MR. MOUGEY:	5	A. No. I don't make my Ts like that.
6	Q. You don't know?	6	Q. Does that appear to give somebody
7	A. I mean, it might be easier if we had the	7	else it looks like is also confused with that date
8	database in front of us, and it might not even be	8	where it says, it has four 1s in a row, two zeros
9	the same database anymore.	9	and a 1?
10	Just rooking at tins, it's instructions,	10	MR. SWANSON: Object to foundation.
11	the same is a second se	11	BY MR. MOUGEY:
12	anything about this particular sheet of paper.	12	Q. You don't have any recollection of this?
13	would need more buckground.	13	A. No, I don't.
14	Q. Do you see the dutes 1111001.	14	Q. "Attach file into an e-mail." I'm
15	71. 105.	15	looking at the last bullet. "Attach file into an
16	Q. Thus an extra digit in it, does it not.	16	e-mail addressed to Adriana Smyly and Barb Martin."
17	With B With BOTT. Object to form.	17	Do you see that?
18	DI IIID WIII (DDD)	18	A. Yes, I see that.
19	11. 11gam, 1 m stragging with now this	19	Q. All right. And do you who is Adriana
20	dutes. It might not be a logical date as we would	20	Smyly?
21	interpret, you know, today's date of variatry 1st	21	A. I don't remember her title, but for a
22	23, 2017.	22	period of time Adriana was one of my direct
23	This codia be waisteens had internal		reports.
24	weeks. Again, I'm jumping to conclusions.	24	Q. What was her responsibility?
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Q. Do you have any recollection of what

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	number 3 on the list is?		time - can't calculate."
2	A. No.	2	Did I get that right?
3	MR. SWANSON: You can answer that yes or no.	3	A. Yes.
4	BY THE WITNESS:	4	Q. Okay. "Deviation (standard error)."
5	A. No.	5	Do I still have it right?
6	BY MR. MOUGEY:	6	A. That's what it says.
7	Q. And then Richard Gates responds, says,	7	Q. And then, "Will assume order/sales are
8	"Barb, Tasha just discussed it with me."	8	legitimate."
9	You know Ms. Polster, correct?	9	Do I have that right?
10	A. Yes, I know Tasha.	10	A. Yes.
11	Q. "We need to start looking into this and	11	Q. And then, "Unusual size/frequency, DEA
12	get a plan in motion. Rick."	12	guidelines."
13	Does that refresh your memory of what	13	Do you see that?
14	this is discussing?	14	A. That's what I wrote.
15	A. No, it doesn't.	15	Q. "Tolerance limit," and then it says,
16	Q. And at this point in time, Ms. Polster	16	"Y geometric distribution."
	was the director of pharmacy operations	17	Correct?
	optimization. Do you recall any your group and	18	A. It's not a Y. It's like an arrow down.
	Loss Prevention and Tasha Polster's pharmacy	19	Q. Arrow down.
	operations optimization working jointly on a	20	A. "Frequency," I'm arrowing, "Frequency"
	project?	21	
22	A. No, I don't remember anything. Sorry.	22	
23	Q. I hand you P-WAG-201, which is Martin 7.		wrote this. There is no date on it.
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- 1 Correct?
- 2 A. That's what I wrote.
- Q. Do you have any recollection of when
- 4 these notes were?
- A. I have no idea when I wrote this.
- 6 Q. So, it would have been sometime after
- 7 2008 and through 2009 and '10 when the suspicious
- 8 order monitoring algorithm was being updated,
- 9 correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form and foundation.
- 11 BY THE WITNESS:
- 12 A. I have no idea when I wrote this.
- 13 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. You have no earthly idea.
- Okay. But after 2010 did you continue
- 16 to work on implementing updates and tweaks to the
- 17 Bancroft algorithm?
- A. I might have sat into meetings where I
- 19 made these notes. Again, I have no idea when these
- 20 notes were written.
- O. So, at least as of the date of these --
- 22 at least at the time of these notes, you had an
- ²³ understanding that you were looking for unusual
- 24 size/frequency as the DEA guidelines, right?
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- 1 A. Yes.
- Q. So, somebody had talked to you at some
- ³ point and told you what the DEA guidelines were
- 4 and, as the notes are here, unusual size/frequency.
- 5 Correct?
- 6 MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 7 BY THE WITNESS:
- 8 A. That's what it says, yes.
- 9 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. And that's what your -- accurate with
- 11 your understanding of what the DEA guidelines were?
- A. I'm -- it's hard to take this. It's out
- 13 of context. I don't know where I wrote this. I
- 14 could have been in a meeting where someone was --
- 15 I'm just scribbling notes based on what I'm hearing
- 16 in a meeting.
- Q. Yes, ma'am. So, over entire mid-2008
- 18 all the way till when your participation waned down
- 19 to zero for suspicious order monitoring policy and
- 20 I asked you earlier what kind of training you had,
- 21 is -- this is the only piece of kind of evidence we
- 22 have at this point of what your understanding of
- 23 the DEA guidelines are, correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form, mischaracterizes.

- 1 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. Again, I don't know what I knew when.
- BY MR. MOUGEY:
- 4 Q. Okay.
- A. When I learned things.
- 6 Q. So, "Once limits are in place, if store
- ⁷ had previous suspicious orders, system would not
- 8 catch." So, tell me what is a limit, "once limits
- ⁹ are in place." What is that?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form, foundation.
- 11 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. Again, I don't know when I wrote this.
- 13 The notes are so vague, I'm not comfortable
- 14 interpreting what I meant.
- 15 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Yes, ma'am. So, you don't know what you
- meant by looking at these notes?
- A. I have no idea when I wrote these or
- 19 what I meant. I'm sorry.
- Q. Do you know what a line limit report is?
- A. I know what a line limit is, yes.
- Q. What's a line limit?
- A. A line limit would be some type of logic
- ²⁴ where we can go in and it can be by store or by

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- ¹ drug and say never order more than a certain
- ² quantity.
- I don't know if this type of line
- 4 limit -- because this says "once limit." It
- ⁵ doesn't say "line limit." So, it could be a
- ⁶ different type of limit than a line limit.
- O. Did you have any involvement with the
- 8 line limit report?
- A. I did not.
- Q. Did you have any involvement with
 - creating the line limit?
- A. No. That was in place long before I
- ¹³ came into the team.
 - Q. Did you have any involvement with
- ⁻⁵ reviewing line limit reports?
- ¹⁶ A. I did not.
- Q. Did you have any involvement with
- 18 looking at orders that were canceled due to line
- ¹⁹ limit reports?

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- A. No.
- Q. So, you had zero involvement with
- 22 anything to do with line limits?
 - A. I knew of line limits.
 - Q. Other than knowing what a line limit

Page 142 Page 144 ¹ was, you didn't have any involvement with that MR. MOUGEY: Sure. ² process? ² BY MR. MOUGEY: Q. "A registrant (Rx selling to," and I A. No. ⁴ think that's a question mark. Tell me if I'm Okay. I hand you what we'll mark as Q. ⁵ Martin 8. ⁵ wrong. A. No. It says, "Rx selling to MD." 6 (WHEREUPON, a certain document was 7 marked as Walgreens-Martin Exhibit Q. MD. Okay. Thank you. 8 "A registrant." What do you mean by 8 No. 8: Handwritten notes; "Rx selling to MD"? Do you recall? WAGMDL00658228 - 00658229.) 10 BY MR. MOUGEY: A. I don't remember. Q. Is this your handwriting, Ms. Martin? 11 Q. Okay. "Or chain wholesaler." You don't 11 12 A. Yes, this is my handwriting. 12 have any -- "A registrant (Rx selling to MD) or 13 Q. Let's do the same thing we just did. ¹³ chain wholesaler," you don't know what that 14 Okay? I know it's a little tedious, but I need to 14 references? ¹⁵ understand what your notes say. Suffice it to say A. "Chain wholesaler" sounds like the ¹⁶ your handwriting is 50 times better than mine. So, ¹⁶ Walgreens distribution centers. 17 let's see if we can --17 Q. Okay. Continues, "To be, 1, design and 18 A. Then your handwriting must be really implement SOM to report," and I can't read the ¹⁹ bad. language on the first line after that. 20 20 Q. It's really bad. No one can read it, A. "Analysts." ²¹ including myself. 21 Q. Okay. 22 So, "Cardinal SOM." You understand SOM, A. "Must look at." 23 suspicious order monitoring? 23 "Size, frequency/pattern, total drug A. Yes. 24 family." Page 143 Page 145 Q. And "9/18" off to the side. Do you have Right? ² an understanding, is that September 18, September That's what I wrote, yes. 3 2018? "Total drug family," is that by drug Q. A. It's September 18. I don't know what 4 4 code? ⁵ year. A. I don't remember. I mean, it's like a Q. Okay. So, let's kind of go through group of drugs. ⁷ these one by one. I'm going to read it, you tell Q. A group of drugs. So, would that --8 me. would oxycodone be a total drug family? 9 "Obligation ID'd in 13.0174 regs," A. Yes. ¹⁰ regulations. 10 Q. So, that would be drug code 9143. Do Do you see that? 11 you know that? You don't know? 12 A. That's what it says. 12 A. I wouldn't know the code number. Sorry. 13 Q. Do you know that 1301.74 is the reg that 13 Q. "Disproportionate number to a store 14 is directly applicable to Walgreens as a versus other stores." 15 ¹⁵ distributor? Do I have that right? A. I wrote this number. It must have been 16 16 A. Yes. ¹⁷ important for something, but knowing this number 17 "ID store and block order until figure and what it actually meant, I don't know. out what is happening." 19 O. No idea. 19 Do you see that? 20 "A registrant (Rx," prescription, 20 A. That's what I wrote. 21 "selling to?) or chain wholesaler)." 21 Q. "Possibly required to report to DEA 22 Did I get that right? ²² field office." MR. SWANSON: I'm sorry. Can you just read 23 Correct? ²⁴ back again. 24 A. That's what it says.

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1	Q. "Obligation to report drug order."	1	11. 105.
2	Did I get that correct?	2	Q. This it continues, Tor an ears
3	A. No. That's not what it says.	3	customers, they have about 13 to 13 a cay.
4	Q. What does it say?	4	Did i get that right.
5	A. "Obligation to report on any order."	5	11. It says, 10 to 12 day.
6	Q. On any. All right.	6	Q. 10 to 15.
7	"Team of 14, 3 RPH." What's that stand	7	71. Day/month.
8	for?	8	Q. 10 to 15 day/month. Okay.
9	A. Registered pharmacist.	9	i ma then is it is that seg.
10	Q. Under that, "3 analysts."	10	11. That's what it looks like, begin.
11	Is that right?	11	Q. Zine segiming.
12	A. Yes.	12	"100/day end of month." Did I get that
13	Q. And "4 investigators"?	13	right?
14	A. Yes.	14	A. Yes.
15	Q. And then "1" is it "document"?	15	Q. "Less than 1% of orders."
16	A. Yeah. Yeah. That's what it looks like.	16	Did I get that right?
17	I'm not sure either. Sorry.	17	A. That's what it says.
18	Q. Does that sound like the description of	18	Q. And "7 million orders/night."
19	what ultimately became Pharmaceutical Integrity?	19	A. That's what it says, yes.
20	MR. SWANSON: Object to form, foundation.	20	Q. All right. And then "Looking at rolling
21	BY THE WITNESS:	21	20 day cycle, not month hard stop."
22	A. I don't believe so.	22	Did I get that right?
23	BY MR. MOUGEY:	23	A. Yes. That's what it says.
24	Q. Okay.	24	•
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- 1 A. I think it's "not."
- Q. "We are not looking at store to store
- 3 comparisons."
- 4 Did I get that right?
- 5 A. That looks like what I wrote, yes.
- 6 Q. All right. Now that we've gone through
- ⁷ kind of interpretations of your notes, do you have
- 8 an understanding of what you were capturing here?
- 9 A. My best understanding of trying to
- 10 search my memory banks on this is that I believe
- 11 that I'm taking notes listening to what Cardinal is
- 12 doing and trying to figure out if there is anything
- 13 that we need to be changing on our side.
- Q. Okay. Let me hand you what --
- MR. SWANSON: Peter, I let you go about an
- 16 hour and a half here.
- MR. MOUGEY: That was nice of you. Thank you.
- MR. SWANSON: You're welcome.
- 19 MR. MOUGEY: I appreciate that.
- MR. SWANSON: We'd like to take a break.
- MR. MOUGEY: I have -- 1, 2 -- three more docs
- 22 that I just generally would like to ask some
- 23 questions before lunch.
- Ms. Martin, can you hold on for like

- A. That is correct.
- Q. "Suspicious Ordering Pilot." And that's
- ³ consistent with your recollection that the
- ⁴ suspicious order monitoring algorithm from
- ⁵ Mr. Bancroft was still a pilot in August 28 of
- 6 2009, correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 8 BY THE WITNESS:
- ⁹ A. I think so, yes.
- ¹⁰ BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. All right. And it lists seven stores
- ¹² that the group was capturing data but not cutting
- orders, right?

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- A. That's what it says.
- Q. And it lists those seven stores, and
- ¹⁶ Walgreens keeps track of stores by store number
- rather than -- correct?
- ¹⁸ A. Yes.
- Q. And it says, "10 orders flagged.
- ²⁰ Identified necessary fix-System should consider
- 21 both positive and negative adjustments."
- What I needed your help with is this
- 23 next part.
 - "Only if sum of adjustments is a

- 1 another 15 or 20 minutes?
- 2 MR. SWANSON: It's totally your call. Do you
- 3 want to break now? Do you want lunch now or do you
- 4 want --
- 5 MR. MOUGEY: I think I got 15 or 20 minutes on
- 6 these couple docs.
- 7 THE WITNESS: I think I can give you another
- 8 15 minutes.
- 9 MR. MOUGEY: That would be fantastic. Thank
- 10 you very much. And I'll hurry.
- 11 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. I will hand you what we are going to
- 13 mark as Martin 1 -- I'm sorry. 9. Thank you. And
- 14 I'm on Bates No. 658227. It's a memo dated
- 15 August --
- 16 (WHEREUPON, a certain document was
- marked as Walgreens-Martin Exhibit
- No. 9: 8/28/09 memo;
- 19 WAGMDL00658227.)
- 20 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- 21 Q. It's Bates No. 658227, dated August 28,
- 22 2009, and it's P-WAG-5301. And this is -- appears
- 23 to be a memorandum from you and the "To" is empty,
- 24 correct?

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- negative quantity equal to or greater than package
- ² size will item be marked as substantial inventory
- ³ adjustment."
- 4 What did you mean by that?
 - A. Again, we're going back a number of
- 6 years trying to remember what I wrote.
- I can break this down. A positive
- ⁸ adjustment is if a store changes the current
- 9 on-hand higher. A negative adjustment is obviously
- ¹⁰ changing it lower.
 - We, Walgreens, when I say "we," our
- 2 systems would look at adjustments over a period of
- 13 a week total, which is where I'm assuming the sum
 - would have come in, that week's total.
- So, I think what I'm meaning is that I
- 16 wouldn't want just one order, one adjustment to
- ¹⁷ flag as suspicious. I was saying that I think
- 8 negative adjustments would be more suspicious than
- 19 positive adjustments. And when I say suspicious,
- 20 I'm not talking about suspicious ordering. Just
- Thi not taiking about suspicious ordering. Just
- 21 suspicious behavior. Someone would need to go in
- 22 and investigate why did they change the quantity.
- Q. Okay. So, let's keep going. The last
- 24 part says, "Who will fund project to move to Phase

- ¹ II (telling DC to cut orders)? Estimated to take
- ² 780 hours at a cost of \$50,000."
- I got that right, right?
- ⁴ A. That's what it says.
- Q. Do you know who -- what internal group
- 6 at Walgreens ended up funding that project?
 - A. I don't know off the top of my head.
- ⁸ Q. Do you know that it was an issue getting
- ⁹ a group to fund it?
- A. It usually wasn't an issue to get a
- 11 group to fund it. It's just when you have a number
- ¹² of different teams working on a project like this
- where we have LP and legal and our group, it just
- 14 comes down who wants to be the ones to put the
- 15 money in their budget to have to pay for it.
- Q. Were individuals bonused on the
- profitability of their group?
- ¹⁸ A. No.
- Q. So, what -- why would it matter about
- ²⁰ whose budget line item the fix would be in?
- A. The budgets for a department were kind
- ²² of above my pay grade.
- Q. Do you recall that the allocating the
- 24 cost of the project slowed it down?

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 - ¹ Q. Do you have an understanding of why you
 - ² were looking to shut off PDQ for select items?
 - 3 A. Again, I have no idea when this was
 - 4 written. I'm sure we were just looking at
 - ⁵ different options of what we want to do with
 - 6 ordering logic.
 - Q. PDQ was a gap in Walgreens system
 - 8 wherein a store could continually order PDQ and as
 - ⁹ long as it didn't trip the line item report, they
 - could continue to receive new shipments, correct?
 - MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
 - 12 BY THE WITNESS:
 - A. I really don't agree with anything that
 - 14 you just said. I could explain what the intention
 - ¹⁵ of PDQ ordering is if you would like me to.
 - 16 BY MR. MOUGEY:
 - Q. What I'd like to know is not the
 - 18 intention, but the gap.
 - 9 Was there a gap associated with PDQ?
 - MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
 - 21 BY THE WITNESS:
 - A. If there was, I'm sure our team was
 - ²³ doing anything they could have to fix it.
 - 24 BY MR. MOUGEY:

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- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- ² BY THE WITNESS:
- ³ A. I'm not sure. I would like to say no.
- ⁴ BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. I hand you another series of -- Martin
- 6 10 -- some notes. If you could help me.
- We have one after this, and we'll take a break.
- 9 (WHEREUPON, a certain document was
- marked as Walgreens-Martin Exhibit
- No. 10: Handwritten notes;
- ¹² WAGMDL00658254 00658255.)
- 13 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Do you see that on P-WAG-202, Bates
- ¹⁵ No. 658254, there is a line about a quarter down
- 16 the page, a handwritten line?
- ¹⁷ A. Yeah. I see that.
- Q. I want to start below that. Okay?
- 19 A. Okay.
- Q. "How do we shut off PDQ for select
- 21 items? What items do we want to turn off,
- 22 oxycodone, et cetera."
- Did I get that?
- A. That's what it says, yes.

- Q. I'm sure they were. But you don't have
- ² an understanding what you were referencing here on

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- 3 this note?
- 4 A. No. I don't.
- ⁵ Q. No idea?
- 6 A. If you want me to speculate, I'd be
- ⁷ happy to do that.
- 8 Q. No, I just want to make sure that if you
- ⁹ have an understanding of what this note means, you
- 10 have an opportunity to do that now. And if you
- don't have an understanding of what it is, that's
- 12 okay, but just tell me, "I don't have an
- 13 understanding of what this note is."
 - 4 A. I don't remember when this was written,
- ⁵ and I could reiterate the words and make
- speculative comments on them if you'd like me to.
 - Q. So, the question I asked was, now the
- third time, do you have an understanding of what
- 19 "How do we shut off PDQ for select items? What
- 20 items do we want to turn off, oxycodone,
- 21 et cetera," do you have an understanding of what
- 22 that means?

- A. I understand what those words mean, yes.
- Q. In the context of this note, what do

Page 158 Page 160 1 those words mean? 1 record." 2 A. That's the problem. It's hard to put it Do you see that? 3 in context of this note. I don't know when this A. That's what it says. 4 note was written. I don't know what discussions Q. But you don't have any recollection of ⁵ were going on behind this. I know what the words 5 this note or what it's discussing sitting here 6 mean. after just reviewing it? 7 Q. All right. So, the notes don't help A. No, it doesn't trigger any memory. 8 refresh your memory as to what you meant when you Q. Doesn't trigger or just generally wrote these? understanding what this note is discussing, you 10 don't know? A. Even if you put a date on this, I'm --11 I'm not even sure it would help me remember. 11 A. Not off the top of my head, no. Q. Okay. So, the next is, I believe -- is Q. I'm not asking you off the top of your 13 it "Sue," is it T-h-e-i-s-s? 13 head. I've just given you four or five paragraphs A. Sue Thoss. 14 of notes. After reviewing those notes, you can't 15 O. Thoss. tell us what those mean, correct? 16 A. T-h-o-s-s. A. I can tell you what I wrote and I can 17 Q. Okay. "Can have someone on her team try to interpret it. What I meant at the time I 18 create program change." wrote it, I don't know. 19 Is that -- did I get that right? Q. So, you've told me that you can't do it 20 A. That's what it says, yes. without speculating and that you don't know without 21 Q. And it says, "Go to Mike B." a date and that you don't know without context. 22 I'm assuming that's your boss, correct? So, simply yes or no. Can you tell me 23 A. So, this was go to Mike Bleser. Again, what those notes mean outside of the simple words 24 depending on when this note was written, I might 24 that are on that page? Page 159 Page 161 ¹ not have been reporting to Mike's group. A. No. Q. One more. Let me skip this one. Q. Okay. And then the next says, "How do ³ we let the store know the order will not be MR. MOUGEY: All right. That's perfect. processed." 4 Thank you. 5 Do you see that? THE VIDEOGRAPHER: We're going off the record 6 A. That's what it says. at 12:11. 7 7 Q. This note is discussing closing down or (WHEREUPON, a recess was had 8 shutting the process for PDQ for OxyContin, 8 from 12:11 to 1:05 p.m.) 9 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: We are back on the record correct? 10 at 1:05. 10 MR. SWANSON: Object to form, foundation. 11 BY MR. MOUGEY: ¹¹ BY MR. MOUGEY: 12 Q. If you don't know, that's fine. Q. Ms. Martin, I'm going to hand you what 13 we'll mark as Martin 11. A. I don't know. 14 14 Q. Okay. "Doug Peterson can have system (WHEREUPON, a certain document was 15 15 create" -- is it ISM? marked as Walgreens-Martin Exhibit 16 16 A. ISN. No. 11: Document, Report No. 17 17 Q. What's that stand for? CD500014; WAGMDL00396133 -18 A. Insufficient stock notice. 18 00396134.) 19 Q. Okay. "Doug Peterson can have system 19 BY MR. MOUGEY: ²⁰ create insufficient stock notice back to store and 20 Q. P-WAG-0061 and Bates No. 396133. 21 Do you see at the top right-hand corner, prevent order from going to Cardinal." 22 Did I read that right? 22 Ms. Martin, it says "Walgreen Company" and directly 23 23 below it "Suspicious control orders," and it says, That's what it says. 24 24 "For the month of." "Program to read file and create ISN

- 1 Do you see that?
- ² A. Yes, I see that.
- Q. Okay. And on the left-hand side, the
- 4 date is 1/29/07 and 12/06. Do you see the range of
- ⁵ dates on the left-hand side?
- 6 A. I see those dates. I don't think it's a
- ⁷ range.
- 8 Q. Okay. So, have you seen a similar
- 9 document to Martin 11?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 11 BY THE WITNESS:
- 12 A. This document doesn't look familiar to
- 13 me.
- 14 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. This document doesn't look familiar.
- And when you say "this document," I'm
- 17 not necessarily referring to the exact same one
- ¹⁸ with the same date, but just I just wanted to make
- 19 sure when you and I were talking about reports this
- ²⁰ morning, we were talking about the same one. And I
- 21 believe it was Martin 2, and this is a different
- ²² report, and I wanted to make sure that we were on
- 23 the same page.
- This report or the layout or the format

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- A. None of this looks familiar to me.
- Q. Let me look and have you look at both
- ³ Martin 11 and 12 and look directly in the middle of
- ⁴ the page where it says, "Description. Average
- ⁵ order," and it has a star, "times DEA factor equals
- ⁶ trigger." And then below that it says, "Oxy-APAP
- ⁷ 5-325," and then below it says 6, 3 and 18.
 - Do you see that?
- ⁹ A. Yes, I see that.
 - Q. Does any of that look familiar?
- A. No, none of this looks familiar to me.
- Q. Okay. And again, just to make sure that
- we're on the same page, and I'm not asking if this
- specific example looks familiar, but this form,
- ¹⁵ format and style of report does not look familiar?
- A. This report, this format is not familiar
- ¹⁷ to me.

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- Q. Okay. Does the language in the middle
- 19 of the report, the "DEA factor," does that seem
- ²⁰ familiar to you?
- A. No, it does not.
- Q. The what appears to be 6 and 3 and 18
- ²³ below, does that look familiar to you?
- A. No, it doesn't.

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- 1 doesn't look familiar?
- A. The format or layout of this report
- ³ isn't familiar to me.
- Q. Okay. I hand you one more, Martin 12,
- ⁵ which I believe is a report in similar format.
- 6 (WHEREUPON, a certain document was
- 7 marked as Walgreens-Martin Exhibit
- 8 No. 12: Document, Report No.
- 9 CD500013; WAGMDL00394499 -
- 10 00394500.)
- 11 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Again, upper right-hand side, "Walgreen
- 13 Company," below that, "Suspicious Control Drug
- 14 Orders for the Month of," and there is a date on
- 15 the left-hand side that says 1/3 of '12.
- 16 Are we on the same page?
- 17 A. Yes, that's --
- Q. And this is Bates --
- A. I see where you're reading.
- ²⁰ Q. Yes, ma'am. Bates No. 394499.
- And take a minute and look through this
- ²² document. Similar to the last document, does this,
- 23 too, not the form and the format and the contents,
- ²⁴ not look familiar to you?

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- Q. Anything 6 times 3 equals 18 in relation
- ² to a DEA factor equals trigger look familiar to
- 3 you?

- 4 A. It does not.
 - Q. Okay. Does the internal phrase
- 6 "Chemical Handler's report" ring a bell to you?
- A. No, it doesn't.
 - O. Does the reference to E-3 of the
- ⁹ Chemical Handler's report ring a bell to you?
- 10 A. No, it doesn't.
 - Q. And during your tenure at Walgreens, is
- it -- can we conclude by the fact you don't recall
- 13 looking at those reports or that Chemical Handler's
- 14 report does not ring a bell to you, that you
- weren't performing due diligence on any of those --
- 16 the orders identified in those reports?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 18 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. Looking just at these reports, I am not
- ²⁰ familiar with these reports. I personally wasn't
- doing due diligence. That doesn't mean that
- 22 someone else in the company wasn't.
- 23 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Totally understand. And I'm not -- you

- ¹ know who Mr. Bratton is, correct?
- ² A. Yes.
- Q. And were you interviewed by Mr. Bratton
- ⁴ or did you discuss with Mr. Bratton in the last
- 5 month or two about your different roles at
- ⁶ Walgreens in relation to suspicious order
- 7 monitoring policies?
- 8 A. I talked to him about some of the things
- 9 that I did.
- Q. In the last month or two?
- 11 A. Yes.
- Q. I'm going to read you some of his
- 13 testimony as Walgreen representative, and I want
- you to help me understand if this is accurate from
- ¹⁵ your perspective. Okay?
- And I asked him, "Was there ever due
- ¹⁷ diligence performed on the orders that were flagged
- as part of the Chemical Handler's report?"
- And as the Walgreens representative he
- ²⁰ said, "It's my understanding based on discussions
- 21 with folks from our inventory team and Loss
- ²² Prevention, they would look at retrospective
- ²³ analysis of a sample of these orders and review
- 24 them for appropriateness."

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- 1 just went through, which was a sample of a couple,
- ² with the "DEA factor" referenced in the middle of
- ³ the report, you don't recall ever seeing those
- 4 reports?
 - A. I have not seen these.
- O. And you don't recall ever performing any
- due diligence on a sampling of those reports?
- 8 MR. SWANSON: Object to form, foundation.
- 9 BY THE WITNESS:
 - A. I have not performed due diligence on
- 11 these reports.
- 12 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. The only reports you recall doing due
- diligence on was a sample of which we looked at
- ¹⁵ this morning of Martin 2, correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- ¹⁷ BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. If you need to go back and pull Martin 2
- ¹⁹ and look at it again and refresh your memory,
- ²⁰ that's okay.
- Those are the reports you remember using
- ²² a sampling to look at -- I believe your words
- ²³ were -- I'm going to call it testing or sampling of
- ²⁴ those reports, correct?

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- Okay. Now, I know there is a lot of
- ² different names for different groups. But your
- ³ group was often referred to as the inventory team.
- 4 Is that fair?
- ⁵ A. That is correct.
- 6 Q. And I followed up and I said, "So,
- ⁷ Barb Martin and Marcie Ranick were the ones
- 8 responsible then for performing due diligence on
- ⁹ those Chemical Handler reports?"
- And he answered, "They would investigate
- 11 the sample of the orders in those reports."
- Do you recall at any point in time at
- 13 Walgreens reviewing samples of the Chemical
- 14 Handler's reports and performing due diligence on
- ¹⁵ those suspicious orders?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 17 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. I'm not familiar with the Chemical
- 19 Handler's report. I can say that I did review
- ²⁰ other orders. But if they were tied to the
- ²¹ Chemical Handler report, I have no knowledge of ²² that.
- 23 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. But the reports that I just -- you and I

- A. I would review a portion of those
- ² reports.
- ³ Q. Yes, ma'am.
- 4 A. Correct.
- ⁵ Q. I want to make sure because you and I
- 6 are both using "those reports," I want to make sure
- ⁷ what we're saying is the same thing.
 - Martin 2 from this morning -- and I
- 9 think just to make sure we're on the same page, if
- you pull it back out and take a look. I will too.
 - A. Yes.

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- Q. Martin 2 is what you recall looking at a
- 13 sampling of those reports, correct?
 - A. Yes.
- Q. And there are a couple different
- ¹⁶ variations of these types of reports, but this is
- what you and Ms. Ranick were reviewing to test,
- 18 correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 20 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. If you don't like the word "test," use
- $^{\rm 22}\,$ your word. I can't remember exactly what the words
- 23 you used.

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But when you were looking at these

- $^{\mbox{\scriptsize 1}}\,$ reports, what were you doing again? What did you
- ² call it, sampling, something?
- 3 A. We were looking at samples of these
- ⁴ reports to validate the logic.
- ⁵ Q. Thank you. The only reports that you
- 6 recall using were reports similar to the format in
- ⁷ Martin 2 during your tenure at Walgreens regarding
- 8 suspicious order monitoring policies, correct?
- 9 MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 10 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. Those reports, and I also looked at what
- 12 we talked about the dashboard that was turned over
- 13 to Rx Integrity, but I can't really remember what
- 14 that looked like.
- 15 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Okay. So, the reports that you were
- 17 referencing this morning validating the samples
- ¹⁸ were variations from the Bancroft algorithm and the
- 19 improvements over time, correct?
- 20 A. Yes.
- 21 MR. SWANSON: Objection.
- 22 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. I want to make sure that we're both on
- 24 the same page here so we don't...

- d you 1 Q. You don't have any independent knowledge
 - ² that there is anyone at Walgreens who knows someone
 - 3 that was reviewing the Chemical Handler DEA factor
 - 4 reports?
 - 5 A. I'm sure somebody knows somebody.
 - 6 MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
 - 7 BY THE WITNESS:
 - A. But I don't know.
 - 9 BY MR. MOUGEY:
 - Q. You don't. Fair enough.
 - More notes I need your help with.
 - 12 Martin 13.

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- 3 (WHEREUPON, a certain document was
- marked as Walgreens-Martin Exhibit
- No. 13: Handwritten notes;
- 16 WAGMDL00658242.)
- 17 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- 8 Q. The first entry, I'm just going to --
- 19 like we did in the last exercise, I'm going to read
- ²⁰ what I think it says and you tell me if I'm
- 21 correct.
- 22 It says, "DEA," it says, "requires
- ²³ registrants to report suspicious or excessive
- 24 orders."

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- You do not ever recall sampling or
- ² validating reports that use that DEA factor as part
- 3 of your duties at Walgreens, correct?
- 4 A. They were not part of my duties.
- ⁵ Q. And do you know sitting here today who,
- 6 if anyone -- you referenced earlier somebody else
- 7 might have been.
- 8 Do you know if anyone was reviewing the
- 9 DEA factor reports or the Chemical Handler reports?
- 10 A. I have no direct knowledge of anyone
- 11 doing that. That doesn't mean it wasn't being
- 12 done.
- Q. Yes, ma'am. I understand.
- But sitting here today, you don't have
- any independent knowledge of anyone reviewing those
- 16 Chemical Handler reports?
- 17 A. I personally do not.
- Q. Do you know anyone that does believe
- 19 they knew who was reviewing the Chemical Handler
- 20 reports?
- A. Maybe someone in the distribution
- 22 centers. I don't know.
- Q. Are you guessing?
- A. I'm guessing.

- Did I get that right?
 - A. That's what it says, yes.
- Q. "Now informing that formula is not

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- 4 enough."
- 5 Did I get that right?
- 6 A. Yes.
- ⁷ Q. Do you have -- and it says on the
- 8 left-hand margin, I think it says, "Last Monday
- 9 7/28"?

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- 10 A. I believe that's actually a 4/28.
 - Q. 4/28? Okay.
- I believe the next entry says, "Current
- 13 report kept for five years at DC, not really
- 4 work/used."
 - Do you see that?
- A. Yes, I see that.
 - Q. Do you know what you're -- first of all,
- ¹⁸ are these your notes?
- 19 A. Yes, this is my handwriting.
- Q. And do you know what you were
- referencing when you say "Current report kept for
- ²² five years at DC, not really work/used"?
- A. Again, not knowing when I wrote this or
- ²⁴ having any other context than just looking at this,

- 1 I believe I might be sitting in a meeting taking
- ² notes on things that I'm hearing from other groups.
- ³ Q. The last Monday that was 4/28 was in
- 4 2008. I'm sure somebody can correct me at a later
- 5 point if I'm wrong. So, 4/28/2008 was the last
- 6 time that was a Monday. Okay?
- So, does that help you recall what "Now
- 8 informing that a formula is not enough, cannot
- 9 report" -- "current report kept for five years at
- 10 DC, not really work/used"? Do you know what report
- 11 you're referencing?
- A. I do not. I mean, it's something that
- 13 obviously it's the DCs. I was more store-facing
- 14 than DC-facing.
- Q. Someone is telling you that a "formula
- 16 is not enough" and that the "current report not
- 17 really work/used" and you're taking a note,
- 18 correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 20 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Correct, Ms. Martin?
- A. That is what I wrote.
- Q. Do you recall having a meeting that you
- 24 were involved with with the DEA where they passed

- 1 notes, does anything on this page give you any
- ² context of what this conversation, who it was with?
- A. No.
- Q. Other than the entry with Steve Bamberg,
- 5 correct?
- 6 A. I just wrote his name. That doesn't
- ⁷ even mean he was in the meeting. It just means
- 8 maybe I want to talk to Steve about that sentence
- ⁹ that I wrote.

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- Q. All right. But you have -- looking at
- 11 these notes, you don't have any recollection of
- 12 what meeting it was from, correct?
- ³ A. No, I don't.
- Q. You don't have any recollection of what
- ¹⁵ context these notes were taken in?
- A. I do not.
- Q. And the report that you reference at the
- 18 very -- at the third line that with the formula and
- 19 with the following entry that "not really
- 20 work/used," you don't know what reports you were
- ²¹ referring to?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 23 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. I do not.

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- ¹ along, they passed along that information?
- ² A. I believe I was taking notes from some
- ³ other meeting. I don't remember being in any
- ⁴ meetings directly with the DEA.
- ⁵ Q. The next section says, "DEA really wants
- ⁶ us to validate orders and only report true
- ⁷ suspicious orders and what was done to approve
- 8 orders."
- 9 Do you know what that references?
- A. I could just reverbalize what I wrote.
- Q. What it says?
- 12 A. Yes.
- Q. But you have no independent recollection
- 14 of writing these notes or what context it was in?
- ¹⁵ A. No, I don't.
- Q. Same where the next section, "Just
- ¹⁷ reporting these orders not good enough. Need to
- ¹⁸ document what happens."
- Do you see that?
- A. Yes, I see that.
- Q. Do you have any independent recollection
- ²² of taking that entry?
- A. No, I don't.
- Q. So, looking through the rest of these

1 BY MR. MOUGEY:

Q. Do you know of any reports at Walgreens

- 3 that are run for suspicious order monitoring on a
- 4 formula?
- A. Again, if you're going back to if you
- 6 said this was '08, I think that was prior to the
- ⁷ reporting I was working on. So, my answer would be
- 8 no.
- 9 Q. And the report with the Bancroft
- 10 algorithm, you wouldn't refer to that as a formula,
- 11 like 3 times we just saw in the DEA Chemical
- 12 Handler, would you?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form, foundation.
- 14 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. I believe it was more complicated. I
- ¹⁶ don't know the exact logic he used.
- 17 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. When you referenced your conversation
- 19 with Mr. Bratton earlier, do you recall discussing
- 20 the Chemical Handler's report with him?
- A. I -- no, I wasn't familiar with the
- 22 Chemical Handler's report.
- Q. So, even though that was just a month or
- 24 two ago, you don't recall talking about the

Page 178 ¹ Chemical Handler's report with him? WAGMDL00624503 - 00624509.) ² BY MR. MOUGEY: A. No, I had nothing to do with the Q. Take a second and just kind of flip ³ Chemical Handler's report, so I wouldn't have had ⁴ anything to discuss with him. ⁴ through it, and we'll go through it in some detail. Q. All right. And similarly that -- I'm Does this look familiar to you? ⁶ going to call it the criteria for the Chemical A. My name is on it, so I must have seen it ⁷ Handler's report being 3 times, do you recall at one point or another. speaking with Mr. Bratton about that criteria? Q. Did you review it in preparation for A. No. today? 10 10 Q. And do you recall discussing with A. No, I didn't. 11 Mr. Bratton that you were reviewing samplings of So, it's dated June 23, 2008, right? 12 12 that report as due diligence? A. Yes. 13 MR. SWANSON: Object to form. Q. And you see, when you said your name is on it, on the "To" line, you see Barb Martin, 14 BY THE WITNESS: A. I wasn't reviewing sampling of that obviously, correct? 15 16 report. 16 A. Yes. 17 BY MR. MOUGEY: 17 O. You there with Mr. Piñon, who is from Q. And I understand. I'm sorry. I'm the regulatory and law department, correct? 19 trying not to ask you the same question although Yes. 20 sometimes I do that on accident. But what I'm 20 Steve Bamberg, which is the IT that you ²¹ asking you is a little different, which is: mentioned earlier, correct? 22 Do you recall speaking with Mr. Bratton Yes. ²³ about performing due diligence on the Chemical 23 Q. Along with other managerial level ²⁴ individuals at Walgreens, correct? ²⁴ Handler's report or any variation thereof with the Page 179 Page 181 ¹ criteria being 3 times? A. I'm not familiar with all the names. A. No. 2 Q. Okay. And then it's from Wayne Q. All in the context of suspicious order ³ Bancroft, and do you recognize the name Tracy 4 monitoring policy. That doesn't ring a bell with 4 Morris? ⁵ you and your conversations with Mr. Bratton? A. Vaguely, yes. A. I had nothing to do with the Chemical Q. She was another one of the kind of math ⁷ Handler's reporting. I wouldn't be able to discuss smart people along with Wayne? 8 that. A. I know she worked on IT. Q. Okay. So, let me make sure we're on the Q. Okay. And then do you know who Joseph Tiemeyer is in cc? 11 with Mr. Bratton in the last month or two? 11 A. I remember his name. Maybe Wayne A. No, I wouldn't have any knowledge to be reported to him. I'm not sure. Q. The re line or the regarding, it's 14 "DEA Suspicious Order Reporting."

- ¹⁰ same page still. You don't recall discussing that
- 12 ¹³ able to discuss it with him.
 - Q. Okay. Thank you.

15 All right. We're going to go back to ¹⁶ almost where we started this morning. I told you that we had talked about some 30,000-foot views, ¹⁸ and I'd like to drill down on a couple of topics. 19 Okay?

20 And the first one is the P-WAG-1747A, ²¹ Bates No. 624503, and it's Martin 14.

22 (WHEREUPON, a certain document was 23 marked as Walgreens-Martin Exhibit

24 No. 14: 6/23/08 memo;

Q. And then, as we mentioned, the date is June 23, 2008. So, consistent with your 19 recollection this morning, last half of 2008 is ²⁰ when you recall beginning to be involved with 21 suspicious order monitoring at Walgreens. Is that 22 fair?

23 A. Yes.

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24 Okay. And the deliverable is a

Do you see that?

A. Yes, I see that.

- 1 "Proposal for defining 'suspicious orders' in the
- ² Walgreen distribution system."
- 3 Did I read that right?
- 4 A. That's what it says.
- Q. All right. And then the "Overview"
- 6 section below, "The DEA is requiring Walgreens to
- ⁷ monitor the orders, for control substances, that
- ⁸ our stores place on distribution centers for
- 9 suspicious activity. Suspicious orders are defined
- 10 in terms of order size and order frequency."
- Did I get that right?
- 12 A. That's what it says.
- Q. Is that consistent with your
- 14 understanding that suspicious orders are defined in
- 15 terms of order size and order frequency?
- A. I'm not sure I would have been able to
- ¹⁷ define it. It's clearly written here, though.
- Q. "This document proposes a methodology
- 19 for identifying suspicious orders in terms of order
- ²⁰ size and order frequency. First the reasoning
- 21 behind this method is described. Followed by the
- 22 steps needed to perform the analysis. The Appendix
- 23 gives examples using real data."
- Did I get all that right?
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- ¹ A. That's what it says.
- Q. Okay. And I promise that I'm not going
- ³ to make you tell me what the algorithm is and the
- 4 math, but what I'd like to get is just some of the
- ⁵ details.
- 6 You'd agree that -- well, tell me what
- ⁷ you -- what your part in this process with
- 8 Mr. Bancroft in this June 23, 2008 memorandum.
- ⁹ A. I mean, I don't really remember any of
- 10 this. I would have to assume that my
- 11 responsibility would probably be on the analysis
- 12 side, making sure that we're doing the right thing
- 13 to make sure that Walgreens isn't generating or
- 14 fulfilling suspicious orders but that we're doing a
- 15 right balance between making sure that our stores
- 16 have the product they need to service their
- ¹⁷ patients.
- Q. Is it fair to say that your role on
- 19 this -- in this group during this period of time
- ²⁰ was to ensure that controlled substances as part of
- 21 inventory supply were still making their way to the
- 22 pharmacies?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 24 BY THE WITNESS:

- A. My role was to make sure that the stores
- ² had what they needed to meet their patients' needs.
- ³ BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Now, do you agree with me that an order
- ⁵ flagged by the Bancroft algorithm was suspicious?
- 6 MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- ⁷ BY THE WITNESS:
 - A. I would need to see specific examples
- ⁹ and try to make a determination there.
- 10 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Do you have an understanding that an
- 12 order that Walgreens flags as suspicious needs to
- be reported to the DEA?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 15 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. Based on some documents that we're
- 17 reading here, I'm starting to --
- 18 BY MR. MOUGEY:

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- Q. Starting to understand.
- Well, why don't we do this. I have a
- 21 couple of letters that were written to Walgreens by
- 22 the DEA, and let me just see if this is something
- ²³ that you had an understanding of when this memo
- 24 came out in Martin 14 on June 23, 2008. So, keep
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- 1 that document out and keep that date in your head.
- ² Okay? June 2008. All right.
- 3 I'm going to hand you what is P-GEN-50.
- 4 (WHEREUPON, a certain document was
 - marked as Walgreens-Martin Exhibit
- 6 No. 15: 9/27/06 letter from U.S.
- 7 DOJ DEA; MCKMDL00478906 00478909.)
- 8 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- 9 Q. Do you see the date at the top,
- 10 September 27, 2006, on Martin 15? Same page?
 - A. I see the date, yes.
- Q. And the second sentence of this -- let
- 13 me deal with the first sentence.
 - "The letter is being sent to every
- commercial entity in the United States registered
- 16 with the Drug Enforcement Agency to distribute
- 17 controlled substances."
- And you understand that's Walgreens,
- 19 correct?
- A. I understand that that's Walgreens in
- 21 the broad sense.
- Q. Do you think you understood -- in 2000
- 23 and -- we'll go back to Martin 14.
- In 2008, did you understand that

- $^{\, 1} \,$ Walgreens had two different functions, one as a
- ² pharmacy and one as a distributor?
- 3 A. Yes, I knew that.
- Q. All right. So, let's go back to Martin
- 5 15, and it says, "The purpose of this letter is to
- 6 reiterate the responsibilities of controlled
- ⁷ substance distributors in view of the prescription
- 8 drug abuse problem our nation currently faces."
- 9 Did I read that right?
- 10 A. Yes, you did.
- Q. Now, did you understand in 2008, while
- 12 you were working with Mr. Bancroft and the folks on
- 13 this memorandum, that our country was currently
- 14 facing a prescription drug abuse problem?
- A. It's been in the news for many years,
- 16 yes.
- Q. Yes, ma'am. And, so, the second
- 18 paragraph that says, "As each of you is undoubtedly
- 19 aware, the abuse (non-medical use) of controlled
- 20 prescription drugs is a serious and growing health
- 21 problem in this country."
- You were aware of that when you were
- 23 working in 2008 with Mr. Bancroft and the
- ²⁴ individuals on this memorandum, correct?

- ¹ envisioned, distributors must be vigilant in
- ² deciding whether a prospective customer can be

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- ³ trusted to deliver controlled substances only for
- 4 lawful purposes."
- Did you understand at any point in time
- 6 that Walgreens, as a distributor, that it must be
- 7 vigilant when deciding whether a prospective
- 8 customer can be trusted to deliver controlled
- 9 substances to?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 11 BY THE WITNESS:
- 12 A. That was not my area of responsibility.
- 13 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. The next sentence, that the
- 15 "responsibility," referring to Walgreens as a
- 16 distributor, "is critical."
- When you were working as part of this
- 18 group on the Bancroft algorithm, did you understand
- 19 that Walgreens' responsibility was critical?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 21 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. I mean, that's what it says.
- 23 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Did you understand in 2008 that

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- A. It would be hard to deny that there's
- ² been abuse of controlled substances.
- Q. Now, let's go to the third paragraph.
- 4 CSA, do you know what that stands for?
- ⁵ A. I'm looking above where it says
- ⁶ Controlled Substances Act.
- 7 Q. All right.
- 8 A. I wouldn't have been able to make that
- ⁹ determination on my own.
- Q. Okay. "The CSA," Controlled Substance
- 11 Act, "was designed by Congress to combat diversion
- 12 by providing for a closed system of drug
- 13 distribution."
- Do you know what a closed system means?
- 15 A. I do not.
- Q. Let's go on to the next sentence.
- "Distributors are, of course, one of the
- 18 key components of the distribution chain."
- Did you understand that Walgreens as a
- ²⁰ distributor, different than a pharmacy, was a key
- 21 component of the distribution chain?
- A. That makes logical sense.
- 23 Q. The next sentence. "If the closed
- 24 system is to function properly as Congress

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 1 Walgreens' function as a distributor was critical?
- ² MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- ³ BY MR. MOUGEY:
- 4 Q. When you say 2008, I'm referring to
- ⁵ Martin 14, the memorandum that you're copied on
- 6 from Wayne Bancroft.
- A. I'm not sure I understood how critical
- 8 the role was at that point.
- ⁹ Q. The next paragraph, it says, "The
- ¹⁰ Statutory Scheme and Legal Duties of Distributors
- 1 As DEA Registrants."

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- 12 It says, "Although most distributors are
- ¹³ already well aware of the following legal
- ⁴ principles, they are reiterated here as additional
- background for this discussion."
 - Did I read this right, that right?
 - A. Yes, you read that correctly.
- Q. If you go to the next page, and we are
- 19 going to walk through some of those details, look
- at the second paragraph, second sentence that
- at the second paragraph, second sentence that
- begins with "Moreover." Let me know when you'rethere.
- A. I have found it.
 - Q. "Moreover, all registrants -

- ¹ manufacturers, distributors, pharmacies and
- ² practitioners share responsibility for
- 3 maintaining appropriate safeguards against
- 4 diversion."
- Now, you understand that Walgreens
- 6 filled kind of two of those hats, both a
- ⁷ distributor and a pharmacy, correct?
- 8 A. That is correct.
- Q. Did you know that at the time in 2008
- 10 that Walgreens had responsibilities as both a
- 11 distributor and a pharmacy?
- 12 A. I'm not sure I knew what
- 13 responsibilities we had.
- Q. The next sentence, "Nonetheless, given
- 15 the extent of prescription drug abuse in the
- ¹⁶ United States, along with the dangerous and
- potentially lethal consequences of such abuse, even
- 18 just one distributor that uses its DEA registration
- 19 to facilitate diversion can cause enormous harm."
- 20 Did I read that right?
- 21 A. Yes, you read that correctly.
- 22 Q. Now, below, the DEA elaborates on some
- 23 of those factors and cites to the U.S. Code. Do
- ²⁴ you see the USC cite in the next paragraph?

- 1 regulations require all distributors to report
 - 2 suspicious orders of controlled substances."
 - So, let's stop there.
 - That sentence is crystal clear, is it
 - 5 not, that Walgreens as a distributor has to report
 - suspicious orders, correct?
 - A. That's what this says, yes.
 - Q. Now, were you aware at the time that
 - this June 23, 2008 memorandum was written that you

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- were copied on that Walgreens had a duty to report
- suspicious orders to the DEA?
- 12 A. I honestly don't remember what I knew in
- 2008 versus what I know now.
- 14 Q. And the DEA went on to cite that
- 21 CFR 1301.74(b). Now, do you remember that
- notation in one of your handwritten notes earlier?
- 17 A. I remember seeing that in my notes
- 18 earlier.
- 19 Q. "The registrant shall design and operate
- 20 a system to disclose to the registrant suspicious
- 21 orders of controlled substances. The registrant
- 22 shall inform the Field Division Office of the
- 23 Administration in his area of suspicious orders
- 24 when discovered by the registrant. Suspicious

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- First sentence. "The statutory factors
- ² DEA must consider in deciding whether to revoke a
- ³ distributor's registration are set forth in 21 USC
- 4 823."
- 5 Do you see that?
- A. I see that on the document, yes. 6
- 7 Q. And the next sentence says, "Listed
- 8 first among these factors is the duty of
- distributors to maintain effective controls against
- ¹⁰ diversion of controlled substances."
- 11 Ms. Martin, did you have an
- 12 understanding that what you were working on as part
- 13 of Martin 14 in June 23 of 2008 was part of
- 14 Walgreens' duty as a distributor to maintain
- ¹⁵ effective controls against diversion of controlled
- 16 substances?
- 17 MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 18 BY THE WITNESS:
- 19 A. I believe that there were people in
- ²⁰ Walgreens that knew this. I wasn't really
- 21 responsible for trying to interpret the law or the
- ²² duties set out by the DEA.
- 23 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- 24 Q. The next paragraph. "The DEA

- ¹ orders include orders of unusual size, orders
- ² deviating substantially from a normal pattern, and
- orders of unusual frequency."
- Did I read that correct?
- A. Yes, that's what this says.
- 6 Q. Now, let's go through those one by one.
- Walgreens had to design and operate a
- system to disclose suspicious orders, number one,
- 9
- right?

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- 10 MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 11 BY THE WITNESS:
- 12 A. I don't see that in the writing. I'm
- 13 sorry.
- 14 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. It's the very -- it's okay. The very
- ¹⁶ first sentence that begins with "The registrant" in
- 17 the block quote.
- "The registrant shall design and operate
- a system to disclose to the registrant suspicious
- 20 orders "

- Correct?
- 22 A. Yes, I see that.
- 23 Q. Then, number two, once those suspicious
- ²⁴ orders are identified, the registrant shall inform

- $^{\, 1} \,$ the Field Office Division of the Administration in
- ² his area of those suspicious orders, correct?
- A. That's -- that's what this says, yes.
- Q. That's pretty clear, isn't it, both
- 5 number one and number two? Design a system that
- ⁶ identifies suspicious orders and report them to the
- ⁷ DEA field office in your area, correct?
- 8 MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- ⁹ BY MR. MOUGEY:
- 10 Q. Pretty clear?
- 11 A. That's what this says, yes.
- Q. Yes, ma'am. And pretty clearly,
- 13 correct?
- A. If you're -- it has fancy legalese
- 15 words.
- Q. But you get what it's saying, correct?
- 17 A. I think so.
- Q. The third sentence, "Suspicious orders
- 19 include orders of unusual size, orders deviating
- substantially from a normal pattern, and orders of
- ²¹ unusual frequency."
- Do you see that?
- A. Yes, I see that.
- Q. Okay. So, that's step 1 and step 2.

Q. Now, do you recall anyone from Walgreens

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- ² when you sat down to work on this Bancroft
- ³ algorithm with the other members of the team, did
- 4 anyone show you that letter or any pieces or parts
- ⁵ thereof to help educate you on the process?
- 6 A. I don't remember.
 - Q. Let me hand you what we'll mark as
- 8 Martin 16.

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- (WHEREUPON, a certain document was
 - marked as Walgreens-Martin Exhibit
- No. 16: 2/7/07 letter from U.S.
- DOJ DEA; ABDCMDL00269687 -
 - 00269690.)
- 14 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. I want you to keep 15 out because the
- 16 next question I'm going to ask you is, 15 and 16,
- are they almost identical other than the date.
- Now, Martin 15 that we just went through
- 19 was dated --
- 20 A. Sorry.
- 21 Q. -- September 27, 2006. Do you see 15 is
- ²² September 2006?
- 23 A. Yes.
- Q. And 16 is February 2007, correct?

- I want you to look at, skip a paragraph,
- ² and look at the paragraph that begins with, "Thus,
- ³ in addition." Do you see where I am?
- 4 A. Yes, I see that.
- ⁵ Q. "Thus, in addition to reporting all
- 6 suspicious orders, a distributor has a statutory
- ⁷ responsibility to exercise due diligence to avoid
- 8 filling suspicious orders."
- 9 Did I read that right?
- A. Yes. That's what the document says.
- Q. So, once the suspicious order is
- 12 identified, then due diligence has to be performed
- ¹³ before it's filled, correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 15 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. It says, "avoid filling." I mean...
- 17 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. So, "Due diligence to avoid filling
- 19 suspicious orders." Correct?
- 20 A. Yes.
- Q. Now, this document, Martin 15, is
- ²² approximately 22 months before your June 23, 2008
- ²³ meeting with Mr. Bancroft, correct, Ms. Martin?
- A. If you're looking at the dates, yes.

- 1 A. Yes.
- ² Q. So, October, November, December,
- ³ January, five months later the DEA sends out what I
- 4 believe to be almost an identical letter to the one
- ⁵ five months before.
- 6 So, I'm not going to ask you word for
- ⁷ word, but what I would like you to tell this jury
- 8 is: Does the February 7, 2007 letter appear to be
- 9 very similar to the September 2006 letter?
- A. The first page does. Do you want me to
- 11 go through every page?
- Q. Unfortunately I do. I promise that's
- 13 why I am asking very similar versus identical so
- 4 you don't have to give us word for word.
- How many pages have you gotten through
- 16 there, Ms. Martin?
- A. I'm on page 3.
- Q. Are the first three pages very, very
- 19 similar in the -- in both of those two letters from
- 20 the DEA?
- 21 A. Yes.
- Q. Okay. So, in the February 7, 2007
- 23 letter from the DEA in the first two paragraphs,
- 24 the DEA again reiterates the responsibilities of a

Page 198 1 distributor, correct? A. I'd have to read this through, if you 2 A. That's what this document says, yes. ² want us to spend the time doing that, otherwise 3 ³ I'll just agree with what you're saying. Q. And in paragraph 2, it again warns 4 distributors that "the abuse of controlled 4 BY MR. MOUGEY: Q. Well, doesn't -- let's just take --5 prescription drugs is a serious and growing health MR. SWANSON: Objection. If you need to look problem in the country," correct? A. That's what this says, yes. 7 through a document and testify, you are entitled to 8 8 do that. You don't have to accept his O. Second time in five months, correct? 9 A. That's what this says, yes. representations. 10 MR. SWANSON: Object to form. 10 MR. MOUGEY: Thank you for that warning. 11 BY MR. MOUGEY: 11 BY MR. MOUGEY: 12 12 Q. So, I was just going to say why don't we Q. You don't recall anyone giving you this 13 letter with the DEA laying out a distributor's 13 just go through it together so you can review it. 14 duties prior to your meeting with the team, 14 Okav? 15 including Wayne Bancroft on Exhibit 14 by June 23 15 A. Thank you. 16 of 2008, correct? 16 Q. So, the -- let's just look at the second 17 A. I don't remember it, yes. paragraph. 17 18 Q. I hand you what we will mark as Martin 18 A. Am I reading this as it's own document 19 17. or am I comparing it to something else? 20 20 (WHEREUPON, a certain document was Q. No, ma'am. This letter we are going to 21 marked as Walgreens-Martin Exhibit just look at by itself. Okay. 22 22 No. 17: 12/27/07 letter from U.S. So we're looking at the December 27, 23 DOJ DEA; WAGMDL00753976 -2007, Martin 17, and I want you to go to the second 24 00753977.) paragraph, to the middle of the first sentence that Page 199 Page 201 1 begins with "DEA regulations." It's on the ¹ BY MR. MOUGEY: ² right-hand side. O. And this is another letter from the DEA ³ dated December 27, 2007. Do you see "DEA regulations require all 4 4 manufacturers and distributors to report suspicious Do you see that? 5 A. Yes, I see that. ⁵ orders of controlled substances"? Q. And it is another letter to distributors A. Yes, I see that. ⁷ and registrants reiterating the responsibilities Q. Okay. And it's, again, like the under 21 CFR 1301.74. previous two letters, "requires that a registrant 9 design and operate a system to disclose to the Do you see that in the first paragraph? 10 A. Yeah, this is to one specific 10 registrant suspicious orders of controlled 11 substances," correct? 11 registrant. I don't know who the other ones were 12 addressed to because they were blanked out. 12 A. That's what this says, yes. 13 13 Q. But you see in the first sentence that Q. And that "The registration clearly 14 "This letter is being sent to every entity in the 14 indicates that it is the sole responsibility of the 15 United States registered with the Drug Enforcement registrant to design and operate a system," 16 Agency." 16 correct? 17 17 Do you see that? A. That's what this says, yes. 18 A. I do see that, yes. O. So, this is the third letter from 19 Q. All right. And, again, this letter, 19 September 2006 to the end of December '07, so 20 like the others, walks the distributor through its approximately 14 months, 15 months, with the DEA responsibilities under the United States code, 21 reiterating what distributors', Walgreens',

MR. SWANSON: Object to form, foundation.

22 correct?

24 BY THE WITNESS:

²² responsibilities are under the United States code,

That's what this says, yes.

23 correct?

- 1 Q. Yes, ma'am. Now, you haven't seen this
- ² letter before today either, correct?
- 3 A. I have not.
- Q. So, let's look at the third paragraph.
- 5 "The regulation also requires that the
- 6 registrant inform the local DEA Division Office of
- ⁷ suspicious orders when discovered."
- 8 Do you see that and it's underlined?
- ⁹ A. Yes, I see that.
- Q. The next sentence says, "Filling a
- 11 monthly report of completed transactions
- 12 ('excessive purchase reports' or 'high unit
- ¹³ purchases') does not meet the regulatory
- 14 requirement to report suspicious orders."
- That's pretty clear, is it not?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form, foundation.
- ¹⁷ BY THE WITNESS:
- A. I am not the one that's responsible for
- ¹⁹ interpreting regulations.
- 20 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. And I understand you're not, and I'm not
- ²² asking you if you were the one responsible. But
- ²³ what I'm asking...
- You're about as good as a Walgreens

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- 1 serve on a group to pilot its suspicious order
- ² monitoring policies, correct?
- 3 MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 4 BY THE WITNESS:
 - A. I believe that they'd be passing on
- 6 information to the necessary person, whether it was
- 7 me or someone else that might have been doing other
- 8 reports.
- 9 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. But being asked to serve on a committee
- 11 that the deliverable, "Proposal for defining
- 12 suspicious orders in the Walgreen distribution
- 13 system," as on Martin Exhibit 14, as a member of
- 14 this group, you would expect to be armed with the
- 15 knowledge you needed to provide intelligent input,
- 16 correct?
- A. There was representation from our legal
- 18 department. So I'm relying on their guidance.
 - 9 Q. Yes, ma'am. And you would expect as a
- 20 member of this group, on the June 23, 2008
- 21 memorandum regarding proposal for defining
- 22 suspicious orders, that you be provided the
- 23 information necessary for you to provide --
- ²⁴ contribute intelligently to this group, correct?

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- 1 employee can be with information coming from
- ² corporate, correct? You expect corporate to help
- ³ educate you on topics and responsibilities,
- 4 correct?
- 5 MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 6 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. That's -- that's an odd question. Yes.
- 8 Do I believe that my company is going to give me
- 9 the necessary information for me to perform my job?
- 10 Yes.
- 11 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. And you were relying, I believe -- you
- 13 tell me. I don't mean to put words in your mouth.
- 14 But I think you were relying on regulatory and
- 15 legal to help you understand what Walgreens'
- 16 responsibilities were as a distributor, correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 18 BY THE WITNESS:
- 19 A. Yeah, our legal department would be the
- 20 one that would be reading these letters, not me.
- 21 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. And you would expect that your legal
- 23 department would pass this information along to
- 24 people like Barb Martin that are being asked to

A. Or I'm relying on them to make sure the

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- 2 group is going down the right path.
- Q. Let's continue with Martin 17, and we
- 4 are in the third paragraph. I'm right in the
- ⁵ middle that begins with "Registrants."
- 6 "Registrants are reminded that their
- ⁷ responsibility does not end merely with the filling
- 8 of suspicious order reports. Registrants must
- 9 conduct an independent analysis of suspicious
- 10 orders prior to completing a sale to determine
- 11 whether the controlled substances are likely to be
- ² diverted from legitimate channels."
- Did I get that right?
 - A. I believe the word is "filing," not
- 15 "filling."

- Q. Thank you. Other than that, did I get
- 17 that right?
- A. That's -- that's what it says, yes.
- Q. You understand from the -- from this
- 20 paragraph and the last sentence that simply
- 21 reporting an order as suspicious and then filling
- 22 does not meet Walgreens' obligations under the
- 23 United States code?
- MR. SWANSON: Objection; foundation, calls for

Page 206 Page 208 ¹ a legal conclusion. ¹ diverted, correct? A. That's what it says, yes. ² BY THE WITNESS: A. Again, it's not my area of Q. Let's go to the second page, second-to-last paragraph. Begins with "Lastly." ⁴ responsibility to interpret this. ⁵ BY MR. MOUGEY: "Lastly, registrants that routinely Q. Sounds kind of like what your lawyer 6 report suspicious orders, yet fill these" ⁷ suspicious "orders without first determining that just said. 8 ⁸ order is not being diverted into other than So, I didn't ask you -- you went to -legitimate medical, scientific and industrial are you from Pittsburgh originally, Ms. Martin? 10 A. I grew up in the Pittsburgh area, yes. channels, may be failing to maintain effective 11 11 controls against diversion." Q. And you went to Duquesne? 12 12 A. Yes, I did. Does that sentence make sense to you? 13 Q. Not an easy school to get into. I went A. It's a complicated sentence. I'm not to Creighton, kind of similar school. 14 sure I'm the right person to be able to make the 15 So, you studied for four years -determination as to what our responsibilities would 16 be. 16 A. Five. 17 17 Q. -- with a pharmacy degree. Five years Q. You understand from just reading that with a pharmacy degree, correct? sentence that registrants that just report 19 A. Yes. suspicious orders, then fill them without 20 determining the order is being diverted for other Q. Not an easy curriculum, correct? Heavy sciences? than medical, scientific and industrial channels, 22 A. I -may not be -- may not have an effective system. 23 23 O. Go ahead. Do you see that? Does that make sense? 24 24 A. That's what --A. I'm good in sciences. Page 207 Page 209 Q. Heavy sciences. What I'm -- you're more MR. SWANSON: Object to form. ² than capable of reading a letter from the DEA and ² BY THE WITNESS: ³ understanding what it says, correct? A. That's what this says. MR. SWANSON: Object to form. 4 BY MR. MOUGEY: ⁵ BY THE WITNESS: Q. And you understand that, correct? A. I disagree with that statement. Am I MR. SWANSON: Same objection. ⁷ capable of reading this letter? Yes. BY THE WITNESS: 8 BY MR. MOUGEY: A. I'm not an attorney. Q. So, what I'm asking you is to tell me if BY MR. MOUGEY: 10 you understand the plain language of this letter, 10 O. So, after --11 and this sentence more specifically, "Reporting an 11 A. It's not my area of responsibility. 12 order as suspicious will not absolve the registrant Q. After spending 20, 30 minutes, whatever 13 of responsibility if the registrant knew, or should 13 it's been, 40 minutes, going through those three 14 have known, that the controlled substances were 14 letters over the course of a 14- or 15-month ¹⁵ being diverted." window, having those letters while participating in 16 16 this group working on the proposal for defining You understand that sentence, correct? 17 MR. SWANSON: Object to form. suspicious orders in the Walgreens distribution 18 BY THE WITNESS: center -- system would be helpful, would it not? 19 A. It's a long sentence, but most of it It would have been helpful? 20 ²⁰ makes sense. MR. SWANSON: Object to form. 21 BY MR. MOUGEY: 21 BY THE WITNESS: Q. Meaning you can't just report it as A. I don't know who did or didn't have ²³ suspicious and then fill it knowing or should have ²³ these letters. I know I did not.

24 knowing that the controlled substances were being

24 BY MR. MOUGEY:

- Q. Yes, ma'am, I understand. What I'm
- ² asking is: From your perspective, Barbara Martin,
- 3 that having three letters in the course of 14 or 15
- 4 months laying out the responsibilities of a
- ⁵ distributor, the critical nature, those would have
- 6 been helpful when participating in the group
- ⁷ working on the proposal for defining suspicious
- 8 orders in the Walgreen distribution center --
- ⁹ system, correct?
- 10 MR. SWANSON: Objection.
- 11 BY THE WITNESS:
- 12 A. As long as someone had knowledge and
- 13 they're guiding us down the right path.
- 14 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Yes, ma'am. What I'm asking for you.
- 16 You value your own opinion, do you not?
- 17 A. Sometimes.
- Q. Do you have kids?
- 19 A. I do not.
- Q. Do you -- I mean, when you sit on a
- 21 committee, do you want people to value what Barbara
- 22 Martin has to say?
- A. If I have something to say, yes.
- Q. Yes, ma'am. And in order to have

- MR. SWANSON: Hang on. Thank you. 14 you
- 2 said?

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- 3 MR. MOUGEY: 14.
- 4 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Martin 14, "DEA Suspicious Order
- ⁶ Reporting, June 23, 2008." Second paragraph.
 - Mr. Bancroft relays that "To monitor the
- 8 orders size, tolerance limits will be established
- ⁹ for each store/item combination. If an order is
- o placed on the DC that exceeds its tolerance limit,
- the order is flagged as suspicious."
- Do you see that?
 - A. Yes, that's what this says.
- Q. As of the date of this memorandum, any
- order that's flagged as a result of Mr. Bancroft's
- algorithm is determined to be suspicious, correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form,
- 18 mischaracterizes.
- 19 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. It has the potential to be suspicious.
- 21 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. I am sorry, but I don't see the word
- ²³ "potential" in that sentence.
- "If an order is placed on the DC,"

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- 1 something to say, to use what you got upstairs, you
- ² need to be armed with the right information,
- ³ correct?
- 4 A. In this context, I could have been even
- ⁵ without the law. I understood the stores. I
- 6 understood item movement. I was brought in
- ⁷ probably for some other area of expertise than
- ⁸ interpreting laws.
- ⁹ Q. So, it's your testimony to this jury as
- ¹⁰ a member of this committee, working on the
- 11 deliverable for defining suspicious orders in the
- 12 Walgreens distribution system, you did not need to
- 13 have an understanding of the applicable
- 14 regulations?
- A. As long as our legal representatives --
- 16 representatives that were on this committee had it.
- Q. And passed it along to you, correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 19 BY THE WITNESS:
- ²⁰ A. Sure.
- 21 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. So, let's look, continue looking at
- ²³ Martin 14.
- You see in the second paragraph --

¹ that's distribution center, "that exceeds its

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- ² tolerance limit, the order is flagged as
- ³ suspicious."
- 4 Is that the plain language of this
- ⁵ document, Ms. Martin?
- 6 A. That's the words used in this document,
- ⁷ yes.

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- 8 Q. Do you see anywhere in that sentence
- ⁹ that I just read the use of the word "potential,"
- ¹⁰ "potentially suspicious"?
 - A. I do not see it on the document.
- Q. Do you see the word "possibly
- 13 suspicious"?
 - A. I do not see that in this sentence.
- Q. Do you see the words "it might be
- 16 suspicious"?
 - A. I do not see those words.
- Q. Do you see the phrase "to conduct due
- ¹⁹ diligence to see if it's suspicious"?
 - A. In this sentence I do not.
 - Q. Instead, what it says, "If an order is
- placed on the DC that exceeds its tolerance limit,
- the order is flagged as suspicious." Correct?
- A. That's what this says, yes.

- Q. And it continues, "To monitor order
- ² frequency, the geometric distribution," skip some
- ³ of the math language in the beginning -- I mean in
- 4 the middle -- then "the next order is placed
- ⁵ earlier than expected, that order is flagged as
- 6 suspicious." Correct?
- A. That's what the document says.
- 8 O. It doesn't say "possibly," correct?
- 9 A. The document doesn't use that word.
- Q. It doesn't say "potentially," correct?
- 11 A. It does not.
- Q. Now, do you think that language is
- 13 in error on Martin 14?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 15 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. Yes, I believe that we should have used
- 17 "potentially suspicious," because if you looked at
- 18 my earlier report, I think it was the 2 or 3, that
- 19 one was flagged but it wasn't in my mind
- ²⁰ suspicious.
- 21 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. So, when you got this memorandum and you
- ²³ participated in the committee, is the communication
- 24 coming out of this group, will we see in later

- MR. SWANSON: Objection.
- ² BY THE WITNESS:
- ³ A. In what we've reviewed.
- ⁴ BY MR. MOUGEY:
 - Q. Yes, ma'am. And on page 2, do you see

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- ⁶ the box in the bottom with the different --
- ⁷ different information?
- A. I see the box.
- ⁹ Q. Right. And it's titled "Order Quantity
- ¹⁰ Logic Matrix." Do you see it?
- 11 A. That's what this says, yes.
- Q. And "Order Quantity Versus Suggested
- 13 Quantity" in the middle of that box, "Flagged as
- 14 Suspicious." Do I have that right?
- A. Yeah, I mean, it looks like we are
- skipping over a few steps, but I wouldn't be able
 - ⁷ to interpret what they meant.
- Q. So, you believe in later reiterations,
- ¹⁹ after June of '08, that we will see a correction
- ²⁰ that orders placed on the DC exceed its tolerance
- 21 limit, the order is, and we'll see the words
- ²² "potentially" or "possibly" in future reiterations
- ²³ of this document. Is that your testimony to this
- 24 jury?

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- 1 memorandums that that language is cleared up and
- ² the word "potentially" or the word "possibly" is
- ³ inserted in front of "suspicious"?
- 4 A. I --
- 5 MR. SWANSON: Objection.
- 6 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. I don't know what future documents say
- 8 without looking at them. Sorry.
- 9 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. I will tell you that we will look at
- 11 them.
- So, why don't we continue with Martin 14
- 13 for now, and if you'd turn the page and look at
- ¹⁴ No. 5.
- ¹⁵ A. Page 5?
- Q. No, I'm sorry. No. 5 on page 2, Bates
- ¹⁷ No. 04. No. 5, "If an order."
- Do you see that?
- 19 A. Yes, I see that.
- Q. "If an order is placed on the DC for an
- 21 item and the order quantity exceeds the upper
- 22 limit, it is flagged as suspicious."
- So, that's the third time that the words
- 24 "possibly" or "potential" do not appear, correct?

- Page 217 MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- ² BY THE WITNESS:
- 3 A. I do not --
- 4 MR. SWANSON: Mischaracterizes what was said.
- 5 BY THE WITNESS:
- 6 A. I do not know if we'll see those words
- ⁷ or not.
- 8 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- 9 Q. Did you kind of raise your hand in this
- 10 committee and say, "Hey, this isn't what I thought
- 11 we were doing. I thought we were -- these were
- 12 potentially suspicious or possibly suspicious"?
- Did you give that input during this
- 14 meeting?
- A. I do not remember giving that input one
- 16 way or another.
- Q. Mr. Piñon, do you see him as one of the
- 18 recipients under "To" on the very first page?
- 19 A. Yes, he's on this document.
 - Q. He is pretty senior at Walgreens, is he
- 21 not?

- 22 A. Yes.
- Q. And he's been one of the people you've
- 24 been pointing to all day about the individuals

- 1 responsible for interpreting the code and the regs.
- ² That's him, right?
- 3 MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 4 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. He's head of that group, is he not?
- 6 A. I'm not sure he was head of the group.
- ⁷ I don't remember his ranking at that time.
- 8 Q. He's a lawyer, right?
- 9 A. Yes.
- Q. He's part of regulatory and legal that
- 11 you've been pointing to today as the people
- 12 responsible for interpreting the laws and the regs,
- 13 correct?
- 14 A. Yes.
- Q. If this was incorrect and that it wasn't
- 16 orders flagged by the system as suspicious, you'd
- 17 expect Mr. Piñon to have raised his hand or
- 18 corrected it after this memo, would you not?
- MR. SWANSON: I'm going to object and instruct
- 20 you not to answer. You're not going to get into
- 21 what Mr. Piñon said or didn't say in meetings.
- 22 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. I didn't ask you what he said.
- MR. SWANSON: Yes, you did.

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 - ¹ entitled. This is going to come from Polster, and
- ² you guys are hiding behind this and you know you
- 3 are.
- 4 Look, why don't you all just go ahead
- 5 and assert the advice of counsel defense and go
- 6 ahead and assert it and waive your privilege. I
- ⁷ know you all know what it is. Just go ahead and do
- 8 it. Go ahead and say, "Our advice of counsel is a
- ⁹ defense, let's waive privilege," and let's go ahead
- 10 and release the 48,000 docs you all are hiding
- 11 behind.
- 12 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. So, Mr. Piñon is on this committee and
- 14 he's in --
- MR. MOUGEY: Kate, I don't need any more head
- 16 shaking.
- 17 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Dwayne Piñon is part of regulatory and
- 19 legal that you've been pointing to as the group you
- 20 were relying on for its interpretations of the
- ²¹ applicable federal code and regs, correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 23 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. I was relying on his legal expertise,

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- 1 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. What I asked you is would you --
- 3 MR. SWANSON: You asked about content. I'm
- 4 going to instruct her not to answer.
- 5 MR. MOUGEY: I suggest you --
- 6 MR. SWANSON: Go ahead and ask the question.
- 7 MR. MOUGEY: I said --
- 8 MR. SWANSON: Go ahead and ask it. No, go
- 9 ahead and ask it --
- MR. MOUGEY: Thank you.
- MR. SWANSON: -- just so I can make sure I've
- 12 got it clear.
- 13 MR. MOUGEY: Okay.
- 14 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. So, if the portion of this memorandum
- 16 that does not contain the word "possible" or
- 17 "potential," you'd expect Mr. Piñon to have raised
- 18 his hand and corrected it?
- 19 MR. SWANSON: All right. And I'm going to
- 20 instruct her not to answer because she can't -- she
- 21 can't answer that question without disclosing what
- 22 Mr. Piñon did or didn't do in that meeting, which
- 23 you know you are not entitled to get into.
- MR. MOUGEY: I don't know about know not

¹ yes.

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- ² BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Yes, ma'am. And the answer is yes, that

- ⁴ you were relying on Mr. Piñon and his group at
- ⁵ regulatory and legal for their interpretations of
- 6 the applicable federal code and regs, correct?
- Do you want me to read it again?
 - A. Yeah.
- ⁹ Q. Sure. You were relying on Mr. Piñon and
- 10 his group as regulatory and legal that you've been
- pointing to as the group you were relying on for
- their interpretations of the applicable federal
- code and regs, correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 15 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- O. That's him?
 - A. I was relying on our legal department.
 - Q. Yes, ma'am. And when you were putting
- 19 together your input as part of this group, you were
- ²⁰ relying on the advice of counsel, correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form,
- ²² mischaracterizes.
- 23 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. I'm not -- I didn't write this document.

- ¹ So, I'm not sure what Wayne and Tracy, who they
- ² talked to before they presented this.
- ³ BY MR. MOUGEY:
- 4 Q. Yes, ma'am. But that's a little
- ⁵ different than what I asked.
- What I asked you was: When you were
- ⁷ providing your input as part of this group for
- ⁸ defining suspicious orders in the Walgreens
- ⁹ distribution system, you were relying on the advice
- 10 of counsel, correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 12 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. I'm not sure I was putting input. I
- 14 might have been just sitting there listening to
- ¹⁵ other people, learning.
- 16 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Okay. So, I must have been confused.
- ¹⁸ So, you weren't providing any input. You were just
- 19 sitting in this committee?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 21 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. This document is from 2008, and I
- 23 honestly don't remember what I did or didn't do or
- 24 say or didn't say back then.

- 1 brought in as a store expert.
- ² BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Yes, ma'am. It's a little different
- 4 than what I asked.
- What I asked you was: Did you provide
- 6 input into Walgreens' suspicious order monitoring
- 7 policies and procedures at any point in time in
- 8 '08, '9, '10, '11 or '12?
- 9 MR. SWANSON: Objection; asked and answered.

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- 10 BY THE WITNESS:
- 11 A. I -- I don't remember what input I put
- 12 in. I know I put input into the reporting and I
- 13 gave input on how to change the reporting.
- 14 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. So, you did provide some input?
- 16 A. I guess I did.
- Q. Yes, ma'am. So, in providing that input
- 18 into this group and the folks working on this
- suspicious order monitoring policy and program, did
- you rely on the advice of counsel?
- 21 MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 22 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. On interpreting the regulations and the
- 24 applicable codes.

- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 2 BY THE WITNESS:
- 3 A. Yes, I would have relied on our legal
- 4 department to review the regulations.
- 5 MR. SWANSON: Let's take a break if you are
- 6 switching documents.
- 7 MR. MOUGEY: Sure.
- 8 MR. SWANSON: Thanks.
- 9 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: We are going off the record
- 10 at 2:18.
- 11 (WHEREUPON, a recess was had
- from 2:18 to 2:42 p.m.)
- 13 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: We're back on the record at
- 14 2:42 p.m.
- MR. SWANSON: If I can just put on the record.
- 16 This is Brian Swanson.
- I in the previous session had given an
- 18 instruction to the witness not to answer a question
- 19 based on attorney-client privilege. I've
- 20 considered that objection, and I'm withdrawing the
- 21 instruction. If Mr. Mougey would prefer to ask
- 22 that same question again, I will let her answer.
- 23 Up to you, but your witness.
- MR. MOUGEY: I appreciate that. Just trying

- 1 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Ms. Martin, you sat and participated in
- 3 some form or fashion as part of Walgreens'
- 4 suspicious order monitoring policies in 2008? Yes
- 5 or no.
- 6 A. Yes.
- 7 Q. 2009?
- 8 A. Yes.
- 9 Q. Yes or no.
- 10 2010?
- 11 A. Yes.
- 12 Q. 2011?
- 13 A. Probably not as much.
- 14 Q. 2012?
- 15 A. Definitely less.
- Q. Is it your testimony that you never
- 17 provided any input into Walgreens' suspicious order
- monitoring policies and procedures in '08, '9, '10,
- 19 '11 and '12?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form, mischaracterize
- 21 her testimony.
- 22 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. I don't remember what input I did or
- ²⁴ didn't put into these meetings. I know that I was

Page 226 Page 228 1 to go back at this point and find the question. 1 "Intercepted/Suspicious Store 2 ² I'm not prepared to do that at this point. Orders"; WAGMDL00658202 -³ BY MR. MOUGEY: 00658216.) Q. Ms. Martin, your -- you continued to be 4 BY MR. MOUGEY: ⁵ involved with the group reviewing the Bancroft Q. Bates No. 658202, P-WAG-227, entitled 6 algorithm for a period of years after that June 23, 6 "Intercepted/Suspicious Store Orders," and on the ⁷ right-hand side, "Store Ordering Team, ⁷ 2008 memorandum, correct? 8 MR. SWANSON: Object to form. 8 February 2009." Correct? BY THE WITNESS: A. That's what this says, yes. 10 10 A. I'm not really sure based on that date Q. And do you see in the lower left-hand 11 when we first started generating reports. I looked 11 corner, G:\SIMS Order Management Team\Intercept 12 at them for a period of time, that is correct. 12 Suspicious Orders\DEA Suspicious Order DOC 13 BY MR. MOUGEY: 13 Draft.doc? 14 Q. I think the simple question I asked you 14 A. That's what this says. ¹⁵ was that you continued to be involved with the 15 Q. Is that -- do you know who had access to ¹⁶ group reviewing the Bancroft algorithm for a period 16 that drive? of years after the June 23, 2008 memorandum, 17 A. I don't remember everyone who had access 18 correct? 18 to this. 19 19 A. I was responsible for -- I was one of Q. How about which groups? 20 ²⁰ the people responsible for reviewing reports. A. Probably inventory and the Store 21 Q. And when sample -- strike that. Ordering Team, IT, legal, Loss Prevention. 22 When modifications or adjustments to the 22 Q. A wide range of people? ²³ algorithm were proposed, you would provide input 23 A. Yes. 24 ²⁴ into that, correct? Q. And I'm sorry. Again, inventory is your Page 227 Page 229 A. I was providing input to the data I saw 1 group, correct? ² in regards to whether or not I thought it was A. Yes. ³ flagging the right orders. Q. Okay. When it says "Order Management Q. You would review the proposed Team," is that your group? 5 adjustments or modifications in a memorandum format A. Where do you see "Order Management 6 and provide input or language into those, correct? 6 Team"? 7 MR. SWANSON: Object to form. Q. In the very bottom. Right there. I'm 8 sorry. It's right on the screen in front of you, 8 BY THE WITNESS: A. I'm not sure I provided the input in and it's the bottom left-hand corner of the 10 memorandum. Could have been an e-mail or a phone 10 document where it says, "G:\SIMS Order Management 11 Team." 11 call. I'm not sure. 12 BY MR. MOUGEY: 12 A. I'm not sure. Q. Provided any input. You provided input 13 13 Q. You don't know who that is, what team 14 into the process of Walgreens working on its 14 that is? 15 suspicious order monitoring policies and procedures A. It could be the IT group that was 16 after 2008, correct? 16 responsible. SIMS is the system. So, I'm leaning 17 A. I provided input on the reporting I was towards that's not my group. 18 reviewing. 18 Q. Okay. Now, it says, "Prepared By: Ora 19 Q. Were you aware in late -- never mind. 19 Yelvington." Do you know who that is? 20 Let me hand you what we will mark as 20 A. Her name is familiar. 21 Martin 18. 21 Q. But you don't -- can't place her? 2.2 (WHEREUPON, a certain document was 22 A. I believe she was part of the IT team 23 marked as Walgreens-Martin Exhibit 23 working under Steve Bamberg. 24 No. 18: Document, 24 Q. Okay. And I apologize if I've already

- 1 asked this. But under "Walgreens" above, "Store
- ² Ordering Team," is that your group?
- A. The Store Ordering Team I believe would
- 4 be Steve Bamberg's team.
- 5 Q. Steve Bamberg's team. Okay. All right.
- 6 So, you see that we have handwriting on
- ⁷ this document. It appears to say "Controlled
- 8 Substance Threshold."
- 9 Do you see that?
- 10 A. Yes.
- 11 Q. Is that your handwriting?
- 12 A. It could be. It looks familiar to mine.
- Q. Okay. So, was it your practice when
- 14 these proposals on adjustments to the algorithm
- 15 would come out that you would review these and mark
- 16 up and make notes?
- A. If I was one of the people responsible
- 18 for approving the document, then yes.
- Q. Okay. So -- and you're not sure if
- 20 that's your handwriting on the first page?
- A. I'm fairly confident it's mine, but it
- 22 doesn't mean that someone else didn't scribble that
- ²³ with similar handwriting.
- Q. Sure. So, if we see your handwriting,

1 answer was, "If I was one of the people responsible

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- ² for approving the document, then yes."
- So, then I asked a follow-up question:
- ⁴ So, if your handwriting and notes are on these
- ⁵ documents, you were one of the people responsible
- 6 for approving them?
- A. That's correct.
- 8 Q. Okay.
- 9 A. But there would probably be a simpler
- ¹⁰ way of finding that out by looking to see who the
- 11 business approvers were.
- Q. Okay. Well, we'll do that while we go
- ¹³ through.
- The answer to the question I asked, and
- maybe there is a better way to get there, but the
- answer is if your handwriting is on here, that's a
- ¹⁷ good indication that you were one of the people
- ¹⁸ responsible for approving the document. Not the
- only way we can find out, but it's one of the ways?
- A. Most likely I would be one of the people
- 21 responsible, yes.
- Q. Okay. So, now when you would go through
- these documents and mark them up, would you be
- 24 looking for statements or pieces of the document

- 1 which maybe we will be able to figure out as we go
- ² through here, that's an indication that you were
- ³ one of the people responsible for approving the
- 4 document. Is that a fair statement?
- 5 A. If -- if this is a full document, there
- 6 should be business approvers' names in the document
- ⁷ somewhere else.
- 8 Q. So, is that kind of a fancy way of
- 9 saying yes, if you have -- if you have handwriting,
- 10 your handwriting on this document, that you were
- 11 part of the team responsible for approving the
- 12 document?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form, mischaracterize
- 14 her testimony.
- 15 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. Or my name could be in the document as
- 17 an approver.
- 18 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Bear with me. I thought I was just
- 20 asking a simple question. All right.
- I asked you earlier -- I asked if it was
- 22 your practice when these proposals or adjustments
- 23 to the algorithm would come out that you would
- 24 review these and mark up and make notes, and your

- 1 that were inaccurate?
- A. Either inaccurate or something that I
- 3 thought we needed to change.
- 4 Q. And this is February 2009. The date of
- 5 Martin 18 is approximately 8 months after the
- 6 January 23, 2008 memorandum where Mr. Bancroft was
- 7 proposing an algorithm for Walgreens' suspicious
- 8 order monitoring policies, correct?
- 9 A. That timeline seems accurate, yes.
- Q. And during that course of six, seven,
- 11 eight months, was there a group of individuals
- 12 meeting and were you all reviewing the algorithm as
- 13 it developed?
- 14 A. I don't really remember exact details
- 15 between that time period.
- Q. I didn't ask you exact details. I
- 7 didn't ask you what meeting did you have on
- 18 November 2, 2008.
- 19 I just said during that course of the
- six, seven, eight months, were there a group of
- 21 individuals meeting and were you all reviewing the
- 22 algorithm as developed. I mean, just were you
- 23 meeting?
- A. I'm sure there were groups of people

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- meeting. It could have been small groups, large
 groups.
- Q. And were you a part of those groups of
- ⁴ people meeting that you recall after the initial
- ⁵ memo came out over the six, seven, eight months
- 6 afterwards?

- A. I'm sure I was part of some groups.
- Q. Do you have an understanding of how
- $^{9}\,\,$ often you would meet to talk about the Walgreens
- ¹⁰ suspicious order policies and procedures?
- 11 A. I don't remember how often we met.
- Q. Do you have an idea of when you started
- 13 looking at sample reports to determine the validity
- 14 of the reports?
- A. I don't really remember when I started
- 16 looking at reports.
- Q. All right. So, let's look at the
- 18 "Overview" and you can see that the -- under the
- 19 first sentence says, "The Controlled Substance Act
- ²⁰ is the primary federal law regulating the flow of
- 21 controlled substances into the marketplace for
- ²² medical purposes. Among those requirements, the
- ²³ act requires that distributors register with the
- ²⁴ Drug Enforcement Agency to sell controlled
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- ¹ substances to retail pharmacies and report to the
- ² DEA suspicious orders."
- 3 Did I get that right?
- 4 A. That's what this document says, yes.
- ⁵ Q. And the next couple of sentences relays
- 6 that "The DEA is requiring Walgreens to monitor
- ⁷ orders for controlled substances that are placed at
- ⁸ the stores and sent to our DCs for filling. Such
- ⁹ drugs are to be monitored for suspicious activity.
- 10 Suspicious orders are defined by the DEA in terms
- 11 of an Order Size and Order Frequency."
- Did I get that right?
- 13 A. That --
- 14 MR. SWANSON: Objection.
- 15 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. I'm sorry? Ms. Martin, did I get that
- 17 right?
- A. That's what the document says.
- Q. In the middle of the paragraph, "Any
- 20 Control Drug Orders that are deemed suspicious will
- 21 be flagged as suspicious and populated in a file to
- ²² be sent up centrally to Loss Prevention and
- 23 Rx Services for review/analysis."
- Now, do you have a memory of who was

- 1 reviewing suspicious orders and performing due
- ² diligence on those?
- 3 A. So, in this sentence?
- Q. It says that it's sent up centrally to
- ⁵ Loss Prevention and services for review/analysis.
- 6 Do you know who that is?
 - A. So, Loss Prevention would have been
- 8 Marcie's group. And in this context, Rx Services
- ⁹ would have been the inventory team or other people
- that were involved with pharmacy operations.
- Q. All right. So, I'm going to have to
- 12 keep a running list. So, is Rx Services another
- aname for your group?
- A. Rx Services was a broader name. It
- 15 included inventory as well as other.
- Q. Okay. So, that was a part of the
- umbrella that your group functioned under, meaning
- 18 Rx Services?
- A. Yes. Inventory was part of services.
- Q. Thank you. Let's -- so, Loss
- 21 Prevention. Do you have an understanding of, as
- ²² part of this group that's working on Walgreens'
- 23 suspicious order monitoring, who in Loss Prevention
- ²⁴ was reviewing orders that were flagged as part of
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- 1 the algorithm to perform analysis on those orders?
- A. I know that Marcie and I worked on
- ³ reporting. I don't know if there was anyone else
- 4 in Loss Prevention.
- ⁵ Q. So, your recollection, it was -- in that
- 6 sentence, Loss Prevention and Rx Services, that's
- 7 both Marcie and yourself and you're not sure if it
- 8 was anyone else?
- 9 A. Correct.
- Q. Okay. And your review on the orders
- 11 that were flagged as suspicious was to look for
- 12 ways to possibly review those reports -- I mean,
- 13 improve those reports, correct?
- 14 A. Yes, was the data on the report
- 15 accurately reflecting what we thought we needed to
- 16 capture.
- Q. And the next sentence says, "The order
- that is flagged as suspicious on the store side
- will be intercepted." So, let's stop there.
 - So, as of February of '08, if an order
- 21 is flagged after entered on the store side, it's
- 22 considered suspicious as of February of '09,
- 23 correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form. You might just

- want to read it again. Two different dates, just
 so you're clear. You said '08 and then you said
- ³ '09.
- ⁴ MR. MOUGEY: Thank you.
- ⁵ MR. SWANSON: You're welcome.
- ⁶ BY MR. MOUGEY:
- ⁷ Q. The order that is flagged as suspicious
- ⁸ on the store side and was intercepted was
- ⁹ considered suspicious as of February of '09,
- 10 correct?
- 11 MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 12 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. That would appear to be matching the
- ¹⁴ dates on this form.
- 15 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Yes, ma'am. And not just the dates, but
- ¹⁷ there is no "possibly suspicious" in front of that
- ¹⁸ description, correct?
- A. The word "possibly" is not there.
- Q. And the word "potential" is not there,
- 21 right?

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- A. It's not.
- Q. The "orders of interest" as a different
- ²⁴ category isn't here, correct?

- A. Yes. This definitely looks more like my
- ² handwriting.
- ³ Q. Yes, ma'am. Thank you.
- 4 And on the next page, page 7 of 15 of
- ⁵ this document, there are another eight, nine, ten
- 6 different tables, eight or nine different entries
- ⁷ on these tables where you provide handwritten
- 8 notes, correct?
- 9 A. Yes.

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- Q. And continuing on to Bates No. 09, you
- 11 have more handwritten notes, correct?
- 12 A. Yes.
- Q. So, you were clearly reviewing this
- 14 document within the scope of area that you were
- ¹⁵ covering and providing input, correct?
 - A. Yes.
- Q. I'm sorry?
- 18 A. Yes.
- 19 Q. Now, if we go back to the sentences we
- ²⁰ were just reviewing on Bates No. 04, you do not
- 21 have any handwritten notes where you indicated that

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- 22 the orders flagged by the Walgreens algorithm
- weren't suspicious, correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.

- A. It is not.
- ² Q. It's simply an order that's flagged by
- ³ the algorithm at Walgreens is considered
- 4 suspicious, correct?
- 5 MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 6 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. That's the words on this form.
- 8 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- ⁹ Q. And now if you'll flip through, and we
- are going to come back to this page, but if you'll
- 11 flip through the next couple pages, we will see
- ¹² several places, for example, on the bottom of
- page Bates No. 05 under 8, you have -- there is
- ¹⁴ handwritten notes, correct?
- ¹⁵ A. Um-hmm.
- Q. You have handwritten notes at the top of
- ¹⁷ page 06, correct?
- ¹⁸ A. Yes.
- Q. On "Assumptions/Exceptions" under 1,
- ²⁰ there is additional handwritten notes, correct?
- ²¹ A. Yes.
- Q. And if we turn to Bates No. 07, in the
- ²³ table, on four separate boxes are your individual
- ²⁴ notes, correct?

- 1 BY THE WITNESS:
- ² A. I have no notes there.
- ³ BY MR. MOUGEY:
- 4 Q. Do you remember anyone else saying in
- ⁵ the group during any of the meetings reviewing this
- 6 February of '09 document saying that orders flagged
- ⁷ by the system were not suspicious?
- A. I don't have any memory.
- 9 Q. You don't have any memory of anyone
- 10 saying anything?
- 11 A. I don't remember a meeting from '08.
- 12 Sorry.
- Q. Well, and maybe broader. From June of
- 14 '08 now to February of '09, your group's been
- meeting, there are -- we have reviewed at least two
- 16 memorandums in writing. They both refer to orders
- ¹⁷ flagged as suspicious.
- Do you recall any discussion making its
- 19 way into a memorandum that orders flagged by
- ²⁰ Walgreens' system weren't suspicious?
- 21 A. Could you --
- Q. Do you recall any discussion that made
- 23 its way into a memorandum that the orders flagged
- 24 by Walgreens' algorithm were not considered

Page 242 Page 244 1 suspicious? ¹ not. I understand. 2 A. I don't have any memory. But what I'm asking you to do, and O. Because based on the DEA letters that we ³ unfortunately you and I are stuck here today and I 4 reviewed earlier and your review of those, if ⁴ get to ask you questions and you got to kind of 5 Walgreens had orders that were being flagged as answer them. Okay? 6 suspicious, they were required to be reported to And I hate to do this again, but maybe 7 the DEA, correct? we should go back to the letters. 8 MR. SWANSON: Object to form, calls for legal And I know you're not the person conclusion, misstates the evidence. upstairs saying, "Okay, these orders were flagged 10 BY THE WITNESS: as suspicious, let's look at these." A. Again, I'm not the one that is 11 11 But go back and look at those three 12 responsible for deciding what needs to be reported letters from the DEA that are right in front of you 13 to the DEA. in your stack. 14 14 BY MR. MOUGEY: You can look at any one of the ones you 15 Q. I understand. That sounds a lot like want to pick, for example, Martin 15. Which one 16 what your lawyer just said. did you pick? 17 MR. SWANSON: Sounds nothing like what I just 17 A. I pulled out Martin 15. 18 said. Q. All right. Do you see the block quote 19 MR. MOUGEY: Sounds exactly like what you just 19 in the middle of the page on Bates No. 907? 20 said. Every time you all object for a legal 20 Do you see the block quote? 21 21 conclusion, then the witness repeats, "I'm not a A. I see it on that screen, yeah. 22 22 lawyer." That's been the MO for two months. Q. Yes, ma'am. Did you find it in front of 23 BY MR. MOUGEY: ²³ you? I know it might be easier. Do you see it in Q. But that's not really what I asked. ²⁴ front of you? Page 243 Page 245 1 What I asked you was --A. Yes. Q. The second sentence of that block MR. SWANSON: She didn't say "I'm not lawyer," ³ so you are misrepresenting her testimony too. ³ quote, "The registrant," that's Walgreens, "shall MR. MOUGEY: Why don't you just let the 4 inform the Field Division Office of the 5 witness testify instead of you all saying ⁵ Administration in his area of suspicious orders 6 repeatedly -- what was the objection? 6 when discovered by the registrant." 7 "Object to form, calls for a legal The clear language of Martin 15 dated 8 conclusion." And then the answer is, "Again, I'm 8 September 27, 2006 is that when a suspicious order 9 not the one that is responsible for deciding what is identified by Walgreens, it has to be reported 10 needs to be reported." 10 to the DEA's Division Office of Administration, 11 BY MR. MOUGEY: 11 correct? Q. And all I simply asked was: Based on 12 MR. SWANSON: Object to form. 13 the DEA letters, three of them that we reviewed, 13 BY THE WITNESS: 14 Ms. Martin, '06, early '07, late '07, if an order 14 A. I believe that that's what this document 15 is identified as suspicious, it needs to be 15 says. ¹⁶ reported to the DEA, correct? 16 BY MR. MOUGEY: 17 17 MR. SWANSON: Same objections. What this document says, correct? 18 BY THE WITNESS: 18 A. Yes. 19 A. I'm not the one that was responsible for 19 Q. I hand you what we will mark as Martin 20 determining the legal requirements. 20 19. 21 BY MR. MOUGEY: 21 (WHEREUPON, a certain document was

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23 know you're not the one making the decisions at

²⁴ Walgreens about what's getting reported and what's

Q. Ms. Martin, I know you're not. Okay. I

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1 00325378.)

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A. Sounds right.

- ² BY MR. MOUGEY:
- ³ Q. Do you see the date at the top of this
- ⁴ e-mail on Martin 19, that you are part of the cc on
- ⁵ this e-mail, correct?
- 6 A. That is correct, yes.
- ⁷ Q. Along with Mr. Bancroft that wrote the
- 8 algorithm, correct?
- 9 A. Yes. Wayne's name is also here.
- Q. Yes, ma'am. And Tracy Morris that was
- 11 in working with Mr. Bancroft on the algorithm,
- 12 correct?
- A. It looks like this was addressed to
- 14 Tracy.
- Q. And do you see Steven Bamberg from the
- ¹⁶ IT department that was help drafting some of the
- ¹⁷ code is on here, correct?
- A. Yes, Steve's name is on here.
- Q. I'm probably going to mispronounce this
- next one. Khanna Rakesh is also --
- A. Rakesh Khanna.
- Q. Rakesh. Thank you.
- And Ora Yelvington, the drafter of one
- ²⁴ of the last documents we looked at, correct? These

- Q. Changes are being made, modifications
- ³ are being incorporated from those discussions,
- 4 correct?
- 5 A. One would assume -- would expect that,
- 6 yes.
- Q. Yes, ma'am. And if you turn the page --
- 8 you know what? I apologize. Before we turn, let's
- ⁹ read that last sentence.
- ⁻⁰ "There are some highlighted portions
- 1 that need verified as either acceptable/changes,
- 12 please cc this distribution list with any revisions
- needed in preparation for the larger group meeting
- 14 on Monday."

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- Did I get that right?
 - A. That's what this says, yes.
- Q. And the second paragraph of the next
- 18 page under the section "Compliance Status of
- 19 Controlled Substances by Order Size," second
- ²⁰ paragraph says that "Orders that are flagged as
- 21 suspicious will be interpreted and the order
- ²² quantity will be reduced to a level which is not
- 23 considered to be an outlier when compared to other
- 24 stores within its history."

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- 1 are all familiar names that have been on the other
- 2 documents, correct?
- 3 A. Yes, that's correct.
- 4 Q. Now, if you continue down this e-mail,
- 5 the next section appears to have been sent. Do you
- 6 see where "Tracy Morris/Corp/Walgreens"?
- 7 A. Yes, I see that.
- 8 Q. So, if you read what Ms. Morris relayed,
- 9 she said, "Please review the Suspicious Order DEA
- 10 Compliance Summary document which we have revised
- 11 based on the discussions in our meeting last week."
- Okay. So, as meetings are occurring,
- 13 those discussions are being incorporated into these
- 14 documents, correct?
- 15 A. One would assume so, yes.
- Q. Yes, ma'am. That's kind of normal in a
- meeting in a corporation like Walgreens. There is
- meetings and discussions and then revisions to
- 19 documents as they progress, correct?
- A. That would be normal processes, yes.
- Q. Yes, ma'am. And as people make --
- 22 identify problems or issues, they're corrected; and
- 23 the document is kind of living and breathing as
- 24 it's moving forward, correct?

Did I get that right?

2 MR. SWANSON: Objection. You didn't. So just

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- ³ read it again.
- 4 MR. MOUGEY: Thank you.
- 5 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- 6 Q. "Orders that are flagged as suspicious
- ⁷ will be intercepted and the order quantity will be
- 8 reduced to a level which is not considered to be an
- ⁹ outlier when compared to other orders within its
- 10 history."

Did I get that right that time?

- 12 A. Yes, you read that correctly.
- 13 Q. Okay. Good.
- So, as the algorithm progressed through
- 15 2009 and 2010, there was a modification made that
- ¹⁶ an order that was flagged as suspicious was
- 17 reduced, correct?
- A. That's what this document says, yes.
- Q. Do you recall, have an independent
 - o recollection that that was the progression of the
- algorithm, that suspicious orders were cut to a
- 22 non-suspicious level?
- A. I know there were a number of
- 24 progressions.

- ¹ Q. Do you have an understanding of whether
- $^{2}\,$ or not the orders that were flagged as suspicious
- ³ were reported to the DEA?
- A. That wasn't my area of responsibility.
- ⁵ Q. So, you don't have an understanding,
- 6 right?
- A. I don't know one way or another.
- Q. Okay. Now, sitting in these meetings,
- ⁹ did you hear anyone discussing about whose
- 10 responsibility it was to send the orders that were
- 11 being flagged by the Walgreens algorithm as
- 12 suspicious, who was responsible for reporting those
- 13 to the DEA?
- ¹⁴ A. I don't remember.
- Q. You don't remember or you don't remember
- ¹⁶ anyone ever talking about it?
- A. I don't remember either way.
- Q. All right. You would -- if these orders
- 19 were in fact being reported to the DEA as
- ²⁰ suspicious, would you expect to see an assignment
- 21 of whose responsibility that was in these
- ²² algorithms? I'm sorry. In these memorandums?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 24 BY THE WITNESS:

¹ it wouldn't be necessary.

- ² BY MR. MOUGEY:
- ³ Q. But you don't know who that person would

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- 4 be?
- A. Wasn't my area of responsibility.
- Q. All right. Do you know if once an order
- ⁷ that was flagged by the Bancroft algorithm as
- 8 suspicious, who it was that was performing the
- ⁹ analysis or review on those orders to determine the
- 10 due diligence analysis?
- 11 A. On this reporting, it would have been
- 12 primarily at this time myself and Marcie Ranick and
- 13 probably various other members of the Loss
- 14 Prevention team.
- Q. So, were you and Ms. Ranick contacting
- 16 pharmacies and inquiring about the reason why the
- 17 order was flagged on the Walgreens algorithm?
- A. I don't know what Marcie was doing.
- Q. But how about yourself?
- A. Yes, there were times that I reached out
- 21 to stores.
- Q. So, would you -- would the order, if it
- 23 was flagged by Walgreens algorithm and it was, as
- 24 these memos indicate, suspicious, would you perform

- A. I'm sorry. Could you repeat that?
- ² BY MR. MOUGEY:
- ³ Q. Certainly.
- 4 A. Or rephrase it.
- ⁵ Q. In the memorandums that we're going
- 6 through that are part of the living, breathing
- ⁷ document, if an individual at Walgreens was
- 8 assigned the responsibility for taking orders that
- ⁹ were flagged by the Bancroft algorithm as
- 10 suspicious and reporting those to the DEA, you
- 11 would expect to see that in these memorandums,
- 12 would you not?
- A. In this particular document you're
- 14 showing me, maybe not.
- Q. I'm not asking you this particular
- 16 document. Any documents as this -- these
- 17 memorandums are progressing through Walgreens'
- 18 systems, would you expect to see an assignment
- 19 somewhere about who at Walgreens was responsible
- ²⁰ for reporting suspicious orders that were flagged
- 21 by the Bancroft algorithm?
- MR. SWANSON: Objection; vague.
- 23 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. If someone was already doing that work,

- ¹ your analysis or review prior to the order being
- ² shipped?
- A. I -- I don't remember which came first.
- 4 Q. You don't remember, sitting here today,
- ⁵ whether the order was shipped before you had to
- 6 perform due diligence?
- A. I believe the orders were shipped, but I
 - don't know for certain.
- 9 Q. When you say "the orders were shipped,"
- 10 do you mean the orders were shipped prior to you
- performing any due diligence or analysis, correct?
 - A. I believe so, but in some of this logic,
- there was also talk about orders being cut and
- reduced. So, they would have been reduced before
- they were shipped.
- Q. Now, do you believe that an order that
- ¹⁷ is identified as suspicious can become
- 18 non-suspicious by the fact that Walgreens reduced
- 19 the order -- the amount ordered?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 21 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. I think you're trying to get me to
- ²³ answer questions that, you know, I don't know --
- 24 BY MR. MOUGEY:

Page 254 Page 256 1 O. You don't know? A. Yeah, I'm not sure I'm capable of 2 A. -- for sure. ² answering that question. 3 Q. Okay. But what we do know, looking at ³ BY MR. MOUGEY: 4 Martin 19, is that as of March 27, 2009, internally Q. I have -- I got confidence in you. ⁵ Walgreens is still marking orders that are flagged ⁵ Okay? I think you can answer it. You've -- I 6 understand your lawyer continues to object as to 6 by the algorithm as suspicious, correct? A. That is correct, yes. ⁷ legal conclusions and incomplete hypotheticals. Q. And I apologize if I'm repeating myself. 8 8 But let's you and I work through to where your --But if in fact that order or an order as where we're both on the same page. 10 referenced on Bates No. 69 is being flagged as 10 So, we are on Martin 19. Okay? And 11 Martin 19 says, "Orders that are flagged as 11 suspicious and then shipped without any due 12 diligence being performed, would you agree that suspicious." And that's an order that is flagged 13 that does not comply with the language in the three by Walgreens' algorithm, correct? 14 DEA letters that we reviewed? MR. SWANSON: Object to form, 15 MR. SWANSON: Object to form, calls for a mischaracterizes. 16 legal conclusion. BY THE WITNESS: 17 BY THE WITNESS: 17 A. It says that an order flagged as 18 A. I'm not sure I'm capable of answering suspicious. 19 that question. BY MR. MOUGEY: 20 BY MR. MOUGEY: 20 Q. Yes, ma'am. So, let's go back, then, to Q. Well, let's go back to the same letter 21 Martin 15, as of September 27, 2006, the Walgreens ²² we were just -- we are back into Martin 15, and I'd 22 in a letter to -- I'm sorry -- DEA in a letter to 23 like you to be -- I'd like you to go to the second 23 Walgreens indicates that Walgreens "has a statutory 24 page under the block quote where we just were, and 24 responsibility to exercise due diligence to avoid Page 255 Page 257 ¹ the paragraph that begins with "Thus, in addition." ¹ filling suspicious orders," correct? ² Are you there? MR. SWANSON: Object to form. 3 A. Yes, I see that. ³ BY THE WITNESS: Q. Martin 15 says, "Thus, in addition to A. That's what the document says. ⁵ reporting all suspicious orders, a distributor has 5 BY MR. MOUGEY: 6 a statutory responsibility to exercise due Q. Yes, ma'am. Ms. Martin, I'm going to ⁷ diligence to avoid suspicious orders that might be hand you what we're going to mark as Martin 20. 8 diverted into other than legitimate medical, (WHEREUPON, a certain document was scientific, and industrial channels." marked as Walgreens-Martin Exhibit 10 Okay? Are you following me? 10 No. 20: 8/25/09 document, 11 A. Yes. I saw that in the document, yes. 11 "MartinB, Order Item Detail"; 12 Q. All right. So, the language of Martin 12 WAGMDL00674553.) 13 15 is that a distributor like Walgreens has a 13 BY MR. MOUGEY: 14 responsibility to exercise due diligence to avoid Q. This is an example of one of the reports 15 filling an order that had been marked as you're reviewing as part of your role in this group

- ¹⁶ suspicious, correct?
- 17 A. That's what the document says.
- 18 Q. So, if Walgreens is shipping prior to
- 19 exercising due diligence, it is not complying with
- ²⁰ the language in the DEA letter dated September 27,
- ²¹ 2006, correct?
- 22 MR. SWANSON: Object to form, incomplete
- ²³ hypothetical.
- 24 BY THE WITNESS:

- ¹⁶ working on Walgreens' suspicious order monitoring
- policies, correct?
- 18 A. Yes.
- 19 Q. And this report has your name at the
- ²⁰ very top, "MartinB," correct, that's you?
- 21 A. Yes.
- 22 Q. Is that because you pulled it?
- 23 Yes.
- 24 Or is that because it --

- 1 A. I printed this report.
- 2 So, whoever printed it had their name on
- 3 it?
- 4 A. Whoever pulled it up and printed it,
- ⁵ yes.
- Q. Okay. So, if Steve Bamberg had on
- ⁷ there, instead of "MartinB," it would have
- "BambergS"?
- 9 A. I don't know what his sign-on code would
- ¹⁰ be.
- 11 Q. Okay. But it would have some indication
- 12 that it would be his sign-in code?
- 13 A. Yes.
- 14 O. And it's -- this is dated 8/25/2009,
- 15 correct?
- 16 A. That's correct.
- 17 Q. And as you see at the bottom, the
- suspicious reason code is T, exceeds tolerance
- 19 limit, right?
- 20 A. That's what it says, yes.
- Q. And the upper -- this is now, let's see,
- 22 this is 14 months after the initial Bancroft
- ²³ algorithm memo discussing Walgreens' suspicious
- ²⁴ order monitoring policy, correct?

Q. Now, were you aware that, according to

- ² the DEA correspondence, the '06 and the two letters
- ³ in '07, indicated that Walgreens should be sending
- 4 these suspicious orders to the DEA?
- A. It wasn't my area of responsibility.
- So, is the answer no, you really weren't
- aware?
- A. I don't know who was sending the
- reporting.
- Q. And I understand. We don't know who was
- 11 sending it and it wasn't your area of
- responsibility.
- But all I'm simply asking is: Were you
- 14 aware that the DEA in letters in '06 and beginning
- of '07 and late '07 had said suspicious orders need
- 16 to be sent to the DEA? Were you aware, Barbara
- 17 Martin?
- A. I'm not sure what I knew in what time
- frames. Based on some of these documents, I'm not
- sure I knew that information back in '06 or '07.
- In fact, I'm not even sure I was on the inventory
- team in those time frames.
- O. Would that have been information that
- 24 you would think would have been important for you

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- 1 A. Sure.
- Q. June 2008. We are in August of 2009.
- ³ Maybe my math is wrong. 14, 15 months, something
- 4 in that ballpark, right?
- A. Yeah, I was thinking '09 instead of '08,
- 6 so...
- 7 Q. So, August 25 of 2009, on the upper
- 8 right-hand corner is indicating that the order is
- suspicious. 9
- 10 Do you see that?
- 11 A. That's the name of the report, yeah.
- Q. Okay. So, it's not "potentially
- 13 suspicious" or "probably suspicious." It's just a
- 14 suspicious order, correct?
- 15 A. It's what we named this.
- Q. Yes, ma'am. Not -- but, I mean, after 16
- 17 reviewing this report, you had been looking at this
- now for several months, correct?
- 19 A. Yes. I've --
- 20 Q. Nobody ever changed it to "potentially
- 21 suspicious" or "probably suspicious" or anything
- 22 along those lines, correct?
- A. It probably wasn't -- no one probably
- 24 looked at it as it was worth changing.

- 1 to have as part of this group, that orders that
- ² were being flagged as suspicious were required to
- ³ be reported to the DEA?
- A. If someone else was reporting it, I
- ⁵ didn't need to know.
- Q. But as part of this committee, this
- group, with six, seven, eight, nine people on it,
- 8 wouldn't it have been important for you to know
- that orders that were flagged as suspicious need to
- be reported to the DEA?
- 11 MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- BY THE WITNESS:
- 13 A. I don't know if someone was reporting it
- 14 or not.
- BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. And I understand. That's a little bit 16
 - different than what I asked.
- 18 What I simply asked was: As you, as
- probably one of the ten people working on this
- project, wouldn't it have been important for you to
- understand that orders that Walgreens was flagging
- as suspicious needed to be reported to the DEA?
- A. If someone else was reporting it, then I
- ²⁴ didn't need to know.

- Q. So, you didn't -- you as a participant
- ² in this committee that are marking up, reviewing
- 3 and approving the Walgreens suspicious order
- 4 monitoring policies and procedures, you don't think
- ⁵ it was important for you to understand that orders
- 6 flagged as suspicious needed to be reported to the
- 7 DEA?
- 8 MR. SWANSON: Objection; mischaracterize the
- 9 evidence.
- 10 BY THE WITNESS:
- 11 A. If someone else was doing it, I didn't
- 12 need to know. It wasn't my area of responsibility.
- 13 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Not important to you?
- A. It wasn't my area of responsibility.
- Q. Not important to you?
- MR. SWANSON: Asked and answered. Move on.
- 18 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Not important to you, Ms. Martin?
- I'm not moving on. I'd like an answer
- 21 to my question. I understand it was someone else's
- ²² responsibility you believed. What I'm asking is
- 23 something different.
- Was it not important to you to comply

- 1 important for you as part of this group of people
- to understand that an order that's flagged as
- 3 suspicious be reported to the DEA as the DEA said
- 4 in three letters in the course of 14, 15 months?
- 5 MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- BY THE WITNESS:
- A. If someone else was doing that work, I
- ⁸ didn't need to know.
- ⁹ BY MR. MOUGEY:
 - Q. So, it's not important, correct?
 - A. If you want to put words in my mouth.
- Q. I'm asking. It's not important to you
- 13 because it was somebody else's job. Is that what
- 14 you're saying?

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- A. It wasn't my area of responsibility.
 - Q. It was somebody else's job, correct,
- ¹⁷ Ms. Martin, and it wasn't important to you?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 19 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. It wasn't my area of responsibility.
- 21 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. You understand at this point that one of
- ²³ the leading cause of deaths in the United States
- ²⁴ are overdoses from prescription opiates, correct?

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- 1 with the letters that we reviewed from the DEA that
- 2 suspicious orders need to be reported? Was that
- ³ information not important to Barb Martin in 2009
- 4 when you're looking at these reports?
- 5 A. Walgreens is a large company. We have a
- 6 number of different groups and a number of
- 7 different teams. I can look at what I'm doing and
- 8 I can be held accountable for what I am doing. If
- 9 someone else was doing their job, I didn't need to
- 10 know what they were doing.
- Q. So, the answer is no, it wasn't
- 12 important to me?
- A. It wasn't my area of responsibility.
- Q. So, no, it was not important to you. I
- understand it's not your area of responsibility.
- 16 That's different than the question I'm asking. I
- 17 understand it was somebody else's job to interpret.
- 18 I understand it was somebody else's job to do the
- due diligence. I understand it was somebody else'sjob.
- But what I'm asking is: As a --
- 22 somebody that worked at Walgreens for 25 years, had
- 23 a significant background in this industry, had a
- ²⁴ five-year college degree in pharmacy, was it

- A. I understand that there is --
- ² MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- ³ BY THE WITNESS:
- 4 A. -- an opioid and a drug abuse problem in
- ⁵ the United States, yes.
- 6 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- ⁷ Q. A little different. The answer is a
- ⁸ little different than what I asked. I understand
- ⁹ there is a drug abuse problem, and I understand
- 10 that opiates are part of it. What I asked was a
- 11 little different.
- What I asked was that at this point in
- 13 time, when you're looking at the reports that we
- 14 have just gone through, that did you understand
- 15 that one of the leading cause of deaths in the
- 16 United States was attributable to overdoses from
- prescription opiates?
- A. You're asking me if I knew that in '09?
- O. Yes, ma'am.

- A. Versus -- I have trouble remembering
- ¹ what I knew then versus what I know now.
- Q. I hand you what we're going to mark as Martin 21.
 - (WHEREUPON, a certain document was

Page 266 Page 268 1 marked as Walgreens-Martin Exhibit 1 Q. And that would mean --2 2 No. 21: Document, "July 2011, DEA A. Because it says "order items." Statistics"; WAGMDL00492171.) 3 Q. Yes, ma'am. But for Oxy and hydro and ⁴ BY MR. MOUGEY: ⁴ hydromorphone, what have you, Schedule IIs, that 5 aren't -- aren't sprays or patches or lollypops or 5 O. Bates No. 492171. It's P-WAG-18. Do you see the title at the top, ⁶ whatever, the orders are typically consist of Ms. Martin, "July 2011 DEA Statistics"? prescriptions of dosage units, correct? 8 MR. SWANSON: Object to form, foundation. A. Yes, I see that. Q. Do you recognize these tabulations of BY THE WITNESS: ¹⁰ different metrics regarding --10 A. Could you reask the question? I'm ¹¹ sorry.

- 11 A. I don't remember this document.
- 12 Q. Bear with me, Ms. Martin. Let me make ¹³ sure we're on the same page.
- 14 Thank you, Ms. Martin. Do you see the title "July '11 DEA statistics"?
- 16 A. Yes, I see that.
- 17 Q. And that "How many orders are flagged each month?" It says, "Total 20,699 are marked suspicious."
- 20 Do you see that?
- 21 A. That's what this says, yes.
- 22 Q. Again, now, here we are in July of 2011.
- 23 So, approximately -- '9, '10, '11 -- three years
- ²⁴ after the June of '08 memo, and we're still talking

¹ BY THE WITNESS:

A. Orders and prescriptions are different.

Q. Sure. An order is typically comprised

Q. So, if 109,000 orders have been flagged

20 as suspicious and then cut and reduced, in order to

21 figure out the number of dosage units, we'd have to

MR. SWANSON: Foundation objection.

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22 look at prescription by prescription by

¹⁴ of dosage units for most Schedule II, like Oxy,

15 hydromorphone, at this point -- yeah, just use Oxy

¹⁶ and hydromorphone. It's usually in prescriptions

³ BY MR. MOUGEY:

²³ prescription, correct?

12 BY MR. MOUGEY:

or in dosage units, correct?

A. Correct.

- Q. I understand. Let's do it this way. In
- ⁵ order to -- and maybe I'm confusing my lingo, and I apologize.
- What I'm trying to do is that in order
- ⁸ to determine what the dosage units are, we'd have to go back and look at the specific order, correct?
- 10 A. Correct.
 - Q. And, so, it's common -- and orders can
- be anything from 50 dosage units to thousands,
- 13 correct?

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- 14 A. There are all kinds of different package
- 15 sizes, yes.
- Q. Yes, ma'am. All I'm trying to get to, 16
 - probably a little inartfully, is that 109,000 isn't
- the number of dosage units or pills, it's the
- number of orders, correct?
- 20 MR. SWANSON: Objection; foundation,
- ²¹ mischaracterizes.
- 22 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. It's the number of unique --
- 24 BY MR. MOUGEY:

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- 1 about orders being flagged as suspicious, correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Objection; foundation.
- ³ BY THE WITNESS:
- A. That's what this document says, yes.
- 5 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. You don't see the word "potential" or
- "probable" or anything, anything in here, correct?
- A. Not in the upper sentences, no.
- Q. Now, do you see the number at the bottom
- 10 of the page, total of 109,309 order items have been
- 11 cut and reduced by now. Correct?
- 12 A. That's what this says, yes.
- 13 Q. Yes, ma'am. And that's -- have you seen
- 14 this memorandum before?
- 15 A. It doesn't look familiar to me, no.
- Q. Now, if 109,000 orders had been reduced, 16
- that's not dosage units. That's orders. Correct?
- 18 MR. SWANSON: Object to form, mischaracterizes
- 19 and foundation.
- 20 BY THE WITNESS:
- 21 A. It could be individual items.
- 22 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Like a fentanyl patch, correct?
- 24 A. Correct.

Page 270 Page 272 Q. Orders? 1 A. That is correct. 2 MR. MOUGEY: I will save that to where it's -- items. 3 Yes. Unique orders, correct? 3 not 4:00 in the afternoon. There's a difference between item and 4 BY MR. MOUGEY: 5 order. O. Here we are in 2011 and the memorandum Q. Let's just talk Oxy so we don't make 6 6 is still --⁷ anything confusing. Okay? MR. MOUGEY: I'm sorry? 8 8 Oxy comes in an order, will have -- the MR. SWANSON: Didn't say anything. order will be for a certain number of dosage units. MR. MOUGEY: Kate did. I thought you all were 10 That's how it's tracked within Walgreens, correct? 10 trying to say something. 11 A. For each unique type of Oxy. 11 MR. SWANSON: Not what the record shows. 12 Q. Yes, ma'am. For each unique NDC code, 12 MR. MOUGEY: I'm sorry. What? 13 correct? 13 MR. SWANSON: That's not what the record 14 A. Yes. 14 shows. 15 Q. All I'm trying to suggest is that 15 MR. MOUGEY: No because you can't -- the 16 109,309 -- I'm sorry -- 109,309 is an order, not a 16 record is not picking up the two of you all, which dosage unit, correct? is why I mentioned the camera earlier. Ms. Swift 18 MR. SWANSON: Object to form, mischaracterizes. did say something and I asked what she said. It 19 BY THE WITNESS: was enough that I heard it, but I'm sure it didn't A. It's orders or items. So, in an order 20 get picked up by the Court Reporter, and you 21 responded. 21 you could have multiple items. 22 BY MR. MOUGEY: So, I don't think me asking -- I thought Q. When you use the word "item," what do 23 you were asking me a question and all I asked was, 24 "What?" 24 you mean? Page 271 Page 273 A. So, one order could consist of multiple MR. SWANSON: Did you say you want to take a ² items. So, in one order, I could order two bottles 2 break before we start the document? ³ of oxycodone 40 milligrams, I could order one MR. MOUGEY: I don't care. Doesn't matter at ⁴ bottle of hydrocodone 5-325. 4 this point. So, when you're looking at order items, 5 BY MR. MOUGEY: Q. Do you want to take a break, Ms. Martin? 6 it's hard -- when you're looking at this 109,000, ⁷ it might not be 109,000 separate orders. It could A. Just a few minutes. 8 be 109,000 items in a smaller number of orders. O. That's fine. Q. So, an order could be -- I apologize if THE VIDEOGRAPHER: We are going off the record 10 at 3:37. 10 I'm slow here, but an order item could be 50 11 11 bottles of a specific NDC code for Oxy? (WHEREUPON, a recess was had 12 A. Your example would be one item within an 12 from 3:37 to 3:56 p.m.) 13 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: We are back on the record 13 order. That order could have other items in it ¹⁴ besides your -- what was your -- 50 bottles was 14 at 3:56. 15 (WHEREUPON, a certain document was 15 your example? 16 marked Walgreens-Martin Exhibit 16 Q. Yes. 17 17 A. But then it could have two boxes of No. 22: 10/27/11 e-mail with attachment; WAGMDL00119542 -18 fentanyl patches. That's one order. It has 18 19 multiple items. 19 00119548.) 20 Q. I didn't mean to make this more 20 BY MR. MOUGEY: 21 confusing. All I was trying to suggest was that 21 Q. Ms. Martin, do you have in front of you ²² order items isn't dosage units, right? 22 Bates No. 542, Martin 22, an e-mail dated MR. SWANSON: Object to form. 23 October 27, 2011 and from Rakesh Khanna, correct?

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A. That is correct, yes.

24 BY THE WITNESS:

- Q. And you're copied on this e-mail?
- 2 A. Yes, I am.
- Q. And Rakesh relays to Kristie, "As per
- ⁴ your request, I am sending you this document, which
- ⁵ explains the business reason behind the DEA
- 6 project."
- 7 Correct?
- 8 A. That's what it says, yes.
- 9 Q. And "the DEA project" that's referenced,
- 10 if you turn the page to Bates No. 43, is a
- 11 memorandum entitled "DEA Intercept Suspicious
- 12 Order." Correct?
- A. That's what this says, yes.
- Q. And you received this as part of your
- ¹⁵ duties at Walgreens?
- A. I'm sorry. What do you mean by the
- ¹⁷ question?
- Q. You received this in your e-mail box as
- 19 part of your duties at Walgreens?
- A. My name is on it, so yes.
- Q. Okay. If you turn the page again to
- 22 Bates No. 43 under "Overview," you can see again
- 23 this is a memorandum drafted now a little over
- 24 three years into the project with Walgreens and the

- 1 intercepted."
 - 2 Did I get that right?
 - A. That's what that part of the document
 - 4 says, yes.
 - Q. And then similar to these last several
 - 6 documents that we've reviewed, now that Walgreens

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- ⁷ is three years into this project, orders being
- 8 flagged are identified as suspicious, correct?
- 9 A. The system is flagging what we consider
- o possibly suspicious orders.
- Q. Yes, ma'am. Now, I must have just
- 12 missed it. Is the word "possibly" in there?
 - A. That word is not in here.
- Q. Or "probably" is not in here, right?
- A. It is not in here.
- Q. It just says, "The order that is flagged
- ¹⁷ as suspicious on the store side will be
- 18 intercepted," correct?
- A. That's the first part of this sentence,
- 20 yes.

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- Q. And just like we've done now, I hope we
- $^{\rm 22}\,$ don't need to go back to the DEA letters, but just
- 23 like the DEA letter said in '06 and early '07 and
- 24 late '07, the DEA has told Walgreens in its role as

- 1 Bancroft algorithm, correct?
- A. I'm not sure what algorithms we were
- ³ using at this time frame. They were probably maybe
- 4 a little more robust than the original one.
- ⁵ Q. Right. As we've said, the foundation is
- 6 the Bancroft algorithm and there is modifications
- ⁷ or tweaks along the way, correct?
- 8 A. That's correct.
- 9 Q. And the purpose of this overview was to
- ¹⁰ explain the current status of the project, so to
- 11 speak, correct?
- 12 A. It says, "the business reason behind the
- 13 DEA project."
- Q. In the second paragraph of the
- memorandum on Bates No. 43, "The purpose of this
- project is to create a process to systematically
- ¹⁷ identify and prevent suspicious orders based on a
- 18 formula used to determine inconsistent (suspicious)
- 19 ordering patterns for controlled drugs."
- Did I get that right?
- A. That's what this says, yes.
- Q. And the following -- skip a sentence and
- 23 go to the following, which says, "The order that is
- ²⁴ flagged as suspicious on the store side will be

- 1 a distributor that it needs to report suspicious
- ² orders as part of the regulatory requirements,
- 3 correct?
- 4 A. Again, I'm not the one that's
- 5 responsible for determining what the DEA
- 6 requirements are.
- 7 Q. I know you're not. We have gone through
- 8 that. I didn't ask if you were.
- 9 What I've simply asked you to do is --
- 10 you and I went through three couple-page letters,
- 11 and I hope we don't have to go back to them, but
- 12 the letters are clear that as a distributor,
- 13 Walgreens is required to report suspicious orders
- 14 to the DEA, correct?
- 15 A. Yes.
- MR. SWANSON: Object.
- 17 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. I believe that that's what that document
- 19 says.
- 20 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. And according to Walgreens, orders that
- ²² are being flagged by the Walgreens algorithm are
- suspicious, correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form, mischaracterizes

- ¹ the evidence.
- ² BY THE WITNESS:
- 3 A. I know it's not in the document, but I
- ⁴ believe that they are potentially suspicious.
- 5 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- 6 Q. I understand. But the -- we're now into
- ⁷ three years of you working on this and memos being
- 8 drafted. I think we've gone through three, four,
- ⁹ five of them over the course of three years. And
- 10 Walgreens internally is still referring to orders
- being flagged by the Walgreens algorithm as
- 12 suspicious, correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 14 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. That's the term they're using in these
- 16 documents.
- 17 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. And according to the plain language of
- 19 the letters that we have gone through, Walgreens is
- ²⁰ required to report those orders to the DEA,
- 21 correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 23 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. I believe that that's what those

- documents, this form that we are looking at here,
 - ² these are sent out regularly in the management of a
 - 3 project, correct?
 - A. That's correct, yes.
 - Q. And this is a mechanism to communicate
 - 6 amongst different departments at Walgreens as a
 - ⁷ project is being implemented, correct?
 - A. These particular documents, when they're
 - ⁹ sent out in this form, are used to capture system
 - 10 programming changes, not necessarily policies and
 - ¹¹ procedures.
 - Q. These documents, like Martin 23, are
 - 13 helpful with communicating amongst multiple team
 - ¹⁴ members, correct?
 - A. Regarding system enhancements.
 - Q. So, let's -- and these are the same
 - people that have been working on this project, now
 - we're into 2012, almost four years, correct?
 - A. Yes.
 - Q. So, if you turn to Bates No. 43, under
 - 21 "Phase 1 Overview." Do you see that in the middle
 - of the page?
 - A. Yes, I see that.
 - Q. The first sentence says, "In this phase,

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- 1 documents say, yes.
- ² BY MR. MOUGEY:
- ³ Q. I hand you what we've marked as Martin
- 4 23.
- 5 (WHEREUPON, a certain document was
- 6 marked as Walgreens-Martin Exhibit
- No. 23: Document, "Functional
- 8 Requirements & (Macro) Design";
- 9 WAGMDL00400342 00400356.)
- 10 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- O. And Martin 23, it's dated, the last date
- on this document is 4/6/2012.
- Do you see that in the left-hand box in
- 14 the middle of the page?
- 15 A. Yes, I see that date, yes.
- Q. And do you see the business owner as
- 17 Barb Martin. That's you, right?
- A. I am listed as the business owner on
- 19 this document, yes.
 - O Q. Yes, ma'am. And it says program
- 21 manager, Mr. Bamberg, and project manager, Rakesh
- 22 Khanna, correct?
- A. That's what this says, yes.
- Q. And these functional requirements are

- 1 DEA suspicious orders were not reduced."
- 2 Did I read that correctly?
- 3 A. Yes, you did.
- 4 Q. So, as of -- let's do the next one.
- ⁵ "Phase 2 Overview: In this phase, DEA
- 6 suspicious orders were started to reduce."
- 7 Correct?
- 8 A. That's what part of that sentence says,
- 9 yeah.
- Q. So, as of April of 2012, Walgreens is
- 11 still identifying orders flagged by the -- its
- 12 algorithm as suspicious, correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form, mischaracterizes.
- 14 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. Our system was flagging orders that
- 16 needed to be reviewed.
- 17 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. And it was referring to those as
- 19 suspicious, correct, internally?
- A. That was the terms that we used.
- Q. But now here we are four years into this
- 22 process with your name marked as the business owner
- 23 and we've seen instances with you reviewing and
- 24 correcting. You haven't corrected anything that

- ¹ we've seen to this point inserting the words
- 2 "potentially suspicious" or "probably suspicious"
- ³ or clearing up what you now claim is inaccurate,
- 4 correct?
- 5 A. I did not make those adjustments.
- Q. And neither did anyone else that you can
- ⁷ recall now four years into this project say,
- 8 "Orders flagged by our algorithm really are not
- ⁹ suspicious. They're possibly suspicious or
- 10 potentially suspicious." You don't recall anyone
- 11 in four years ever saying that, correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 13 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. It's hard to remember what was discussed
- 15 in the number of different meetings over that
- ¹⁶ period of time.
- 17 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. I understand, and I'm not asking you to
- 19 identify the specific person or the specific time.
- But you can't remember one instance from
- ²¹ June of '08 into now April of 2012 where somebody
- 22 says, "We need to correct all of these memos.
- 23 They're wrong. We need to put the word 'possible'
- ²⁴ or 'potential' in front of 'suspicious,'" correct?

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- $\ensuremath{^{1}}$ reduce the number of flagged observations as
- 2 suspicious?
- 3 A. Absolutely not.
- Q. If you would, ma'am, please turn to
- 5 Bates No. 46, box 4.
- "This business requirement addresses the
- 7 need to change the order frequency calculation
- 8 method because now we have 52 weeks of sales data
- 9 available. This needs to be done" -- "This needs
- to be done in order to reduce the total number of
- order items flagged 'Suspicious' for frequency."
- Did I read that right?
- 13 A. You read that correctly.
- Q. So, according to box 4 under
- 15 "Description," a longer observation period, 52
- weeks, does in fact reduce the number of orders
- ¹⁷ that were flagged as suspicious, correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form, mischaracterizes.
- 19 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. And if you read the previous sentence
- 21 where it says we're getting more accurate
- ²² information, I remember looking at reports. In
- 23 fact, the first one that you showed me, is that the
- 24 Martin 2, that one wasn't a suspicious order. If

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- 1 A. I have no memory of that, correct.
- Q. Now, if you turn to Bates No. 44
- 3 under 9.
- 4 "Start saving 52 weeks of order history
- ⁵ data for more accurate observations. The process
- 6 was already changed in December 2010 to purge the
- ⁷ order history after 52 weeks."
- 8 Did I read that right?
- 9 A. Yes, you read that correctly.
- Q. Okay. I have two questions. Do you
- 11 understand what the reason is, as the business
- 12 owner of this specific memorandum, why 52 weeks of
- 13 order history data was needed for more accurate
- 14 observations?
- A. Well, that's the reason, to get more
- 16 accurate observations.
- Q. It had nothing to do with the fact that
- 18 it would reduce the number of orders that were
- 19 flagged as suspicious?
- A. I don't remember having those
- 21 discussions. We wanted to have more accurate data.
- 22 That's what this says.
- Q. And the goal of increasing the data
- 24 points for a longer observation period was not to

- ¹ we had had better data, it might not have been
- ² flagged. If we had had different types of logics,
- ³ that one might have not been flagged.
- We weren't trying to reduce the number
- ⁵ of items flagged to hide something. We were trying

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- 6 to capture the most accurate data so we could take
- ⁷ appropriate action on the ones that were truly
- ⁸ suspicious.
- ⁹ Q. Yes, ma'am. But the note that's
- 10 indicated here is that the 52-week observation
- reduces the total number of orders flagged as
- ² suspicious, correct?
- 13 A. In that box it does. And in line 9 it
- says, "For more accurate observations."
- Q. Yes, ma'am. And it wasn't -- it was
- 16 just -- it's not Walgreens' objective to reduce the
- 17 number of suspicious flags, correct?
- A. Our objective was to have -- to capture
- 19 the most accurate data.
- Q. I hand you what we're going to mark as
- ²¹ Martin 24.

- 22 (WHEREUPON, a certain document was
- marked as Walgreens-Martin Exhibit
 - No. 24: 4/27/12 e-mail with

Page 286 1 attachment: WAGMDL00119539 -A. Again, I'm not 100% certain of what 2 ² Wayne did or didn't know. 00119541.) Q. I didn't ask you what he knew or what he 3 BY MR. MOUGEY: 4 didn't know. What I asked you was: You had Q. This is an e-mail from Mr. Bancroft, one ⁵ of the drafters of the Walgreens algorithm, to you, 5 interactions with him on this algorithm for over 6 correct, ma'am? 6 four years, correct? A. That's what this says, yes. A. Yes. 8 Q. And it's also copied to your boss, Q. You sat in meetings with him over four years, correct? correct, Denman Murray, correct? 10 10 A. That is correct. A. That is correct. 11 11 Q. You had conversations with him about Q. And it is titled "DEA Suspicious Store ¹² Ordering," correct? 12 this algorithm over four years, correct? 13 A. That's the title of the document. A. Probably. 14 14 Q. Mr. Bancroft relays, "Hi Barb, The Q. You both participated in memorandums ¹⁵ enclosed offers two possible enhancements to the," updating the progress of Walgreens' suspicious 16 it says "DES" but I assume he means DEA, order monitoring policies, correct? 17 "suspicious store ordering application for your 17 A. Sure. ¹⁸ consideration." 18 Q. You provided input in writing on some of 19 Correct? these memorandums intended for Mr. Bancroft and the 20 team to incorporate into the policies and A. That's what that says, yes. 21 Q. So, four years later, Mr. Bancroft, as procedures, correct? 22 there is enhancements or modifications to the A. Yes. ²³ algorithm, Mr. Bancroft is still in the mix, 23 Q. In your interactions with Mr. Wayne 24 correct? 24 Bancroft, did you believe that he had a command of Page 287 Page 289 1 A. That is correct. ¹ what Walgreens was trying to achieve with its Q. And Mr. Bancroft, he had a pretty good ² suspicious order monitoring policies and 3 command of what Walgreens was attempting to procedures? 4 accomplish through its suspicious order monitoring? A. I believe that based on my interactions, A. I don't want to speak for what Wayne 5 that Wayne knew as much as he could given 6 knew or didn't know. information that he was given. 7 Q. Your interactions with him, do you Q. If you would, turn to page 2. When I 8 believe he was knowledgeable about what Walgreens say page 2, page 40 of the Bates, titled "DEA was trying to achieve with its suspicious order Suspicious Store Ordering Application Proposed 10 monitoring policies? ¹⁰ Enhancement." 11 11 A. I believe -- again, you're asking me to Do you see that? 12 speculate on what Wayne knows. 12 A. Yes. Q. I'm really not. I'm asking you, 13 Q. Okay. And I just want to direct your 14 Barb Martin, in your interactions with 14 attention to the last sentence of the first 15 Mr. Bancroft, did you believe that he had a command paragraph, Mr. Bancroft in 2012, in April, four 16 of what Walgreens was attempting to accomplish years after the initial memo, "Orders placed on the 17 through its suspicious order monitoring policies distribution center that exceed its tolerance limit 18 and procedures? are flagged as suspicious." A. To the best of his abilities, sure. 19 19 Do you see that?

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A. Yes, I see that sentence.

²⁴ referring to that internally as suspicious,

Q. So, as the store -- as the order is

suspicious -- and flagged, Walgreens is still

entered from the pharmacy and flagged as

Q. He's got a math Ph.D. He must have

23 of Walgreens' objectives with its suspicious order

Did you think Mr. Bancroft had a command

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pretty high abilities.

²⁴ monitoring policies?

Page 290 1 correct? ¹ include the words "potential." It should include 2 MR. SWANSON: Object to form, overbroad. ² the words "probable." You don't see that change 3 BY THE WITNESS: after four years anywhere, correct? A. In this document, yes. A. As they say, hindsight is 20/20. Q. Ms. Martin, if you'd give me just one ⁵ BY MR. MOUGEY: 6 Q. I hand you what we'll mark as Martin 25. second. 7 (WHEREUPON, a certain document was While I am pulling this next document, 8 marked as Walgreens-Martin Exhibit 8 Ms. Martin, your reference to hindsight being 9 No. 25: Document, "Business 20/20, you and I just reviewed five or six pages of 10 Requirements"; WAGMDL00491251 -10 DEA letters from '06 and '07 that even for a 00491258.) 11 11 non-lawyer had some fairly solid direction from the 12 DEA about what it was asking, correct? 12 BY MR. MOUGEY: 13 A. Again, I wasn't responsible for the DEA Q. Document entitled "Business Requirement," "Project Name: DEA Suspicious ¹⁴ interpretations. Ordering - Phase 5." Q. I understand that. What I'm asking is, 16 Do you see that? you and I just went through three letters from the 17 DEA that had some fairly clear direction on what it A. Yes, I see that. 18 Q. In the left-hand corner, second box, the required of distributors like Walgreens, correct? 19 date is August 2, 2012, correct? MR. SWANSON: Object to form. 20 20 BY THE WITNESS: A. Yes. I see that. 21 Q. And "Business Owner" on the right-hand A. Again, it wasn't my responsibility to ²² side still includes you, Barb Martin, correct? ²² interpret the DEA regulations. 23 A. I am one of the owners, yes. BY MR. MOUGEY: 24 Q. And under the "Business Objectives," now Q. I understand. But today you and I get Page 291 Page 293 1 more than four years after the initiation of 1 to talk a little bit and I get to ask questions and 2 Walgreens' suspicious order monitoring program with ² hopefully we get some answers. And what I'm asking 3 the Wayne Bancroft algorithm, if you look in the ³ you isn't was it your responsibility. 4 third paragraph of Bates No. 51, the sentence that You and I have been through three ⁵ begins with "The order that is flagged." ⁵ different letters from the DEA from September of 6 Did you find the spot? '06 to December of '07, correct? 7 A. Yes, I see that sentence. A. You showed me the three letters, yes. Q. "The order that is flagged as suspicious Q. And this isn't an exercise in hindsight ⁹ on the store side will be intercepted and the because, in fact, the DEA gave clear direction in 10 quantity will be reduced to a non-suspicious (order 10 late '06 and early '07 about Walgreens reporting 11 limits) level." suspicious orders, correct? 12 Correct? 12 MR. SWANSON: Object to form. 13 13 BY THE WITNESS: A. That's what that sentence says, yes. 14 Q. Even now, in phase 5 of the DEA A. Again, it wasn't my area of 15 suspicious ordering program, April '12 -- I'm responsibility to interpret these regulations. 16 sorry -- August 2012, in a project that you're the BY MR. MOUGEY: 17 business owner of, this algorithm is still being Q. And I understand. But you did review 18 referred to or -- I'm sorry -- the orders flagged these letters today, correct? 19 by this algorithm are still being referred to as 19 A. Today, yes. 20 20 suspicious, correct? Q. And you would agree today, reading them, 21 that in '06 and '07 the DEA gave clear direction A. That is what this document says, yes.

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24 saying that language is incorrect. It should

Q. And, again, now four years later, no

23 notes, no input from you or any members of the team

about Walgreens' responsibilities to report

suspicious orders to the DEA, correct?

MR. SWANSON: Object to form.

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- ¹ BY THE WITNESS:
- A. There is nothing in this document that
- 3 says that we're not reporting.
- ⁴ BY MR. MOUGEY:
- O. I understand. That's not what I asked
- ⁶ either. Let's try it one more time. Okay?
 - So, in 2006 late, in 2007 on two
- 8 separate occasions, the DEA provided clear
- ⁹ direction that orders identified as suspicious
- 10 needed to be reported for Walgreens to fulfill its
- ¹¹ obligations as a distributor, correct?
- 12 A. That's what those documents say.
- 13 Q. This isn't an exercise in hindsight. In
- 14 fact, the DEA gave that direction prior to these
- 15 several documents we have just reviewed over the
- ¹⁶ last hour, hour and a half that suspicious orders
- ¹⁷ had to be reported to the DEA, correct?
- 18 A. That's what those documents say.
- 19 Q. And this is not an exercise in
- ²⁰ hindsight, correct, Ms. Martin?
- 21 A. I'm not sure I understand your question.
- 22 Q. Well, Ms. Martin, you said hindsight is
- always 20/20.
- 24 Walgreens provided -- I'm sorry.

- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- ² BY THE WITNESS:
- A. That's what those letters say, yes.
- ⁴ BY MR. MOUGEY:
 - Q. Ms. Martin, I'm going to hand you what
- we'll mark as Martin 26.
 - (WHEREUPON, a certain document was
- 8 marked as Walgreens-Martin Exhibit
- 9 No. 26: 9/14/12 e-mail string;
- 10 WAGMDL00667935.)
- 11 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Look at the bottom of this e-mail. This
- 13 is from you to your boss, Denman Murray, correct?
 - A. Yes.

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- Q. And you relay to Mr. Murray on
- ¹⁶ September 14, 2012, "The DEA at the Jupiter
- distribution center 9/14/2012," correct? That's
- the same day?
- A. That's the subject line, yes.
- 20 Q. Yes, ma'am. And, so, the same day that
- the DEA is at the Jupiter distribution center, you
- were e-mailing Mr. Murray, correct?
- 23 A. Yeah, that's what the e-mail says.
- 24 Q. Yes, ma'am. And you were relaying to

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- The DEA provided clear direction in late
- ² '06, throughout 2007 that suspicious orders needed
- 3 to be reported to the DEA for Walgreens to fill its
- 4 responsibilities as a distributor, correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form, asked and
- 6 answered.
- ⁷ BY THE WITNESS:
- A. Again, it wasn't my responsibility to
- 9 know what Walgreens needed to provide to the DEA.
- 10 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- 11 O. I understand, but that's not what I'm
- 12 asking, if that was your responsibility.
- 13 Today, reading these letters, it's clear
- 14 to you that DEA gave Walgreens direction that it
- 15 needed to report suspicious orders in 2006 and
- 16 2007; and this is not an exercise in hindsight,
- 17 correct?
- 18 A. I'm not sure I understand your question.
- 19 I'm sorry. Could you rephrase it.
 - O. Walgreens had the information it needed
- 21 based on these 2006 and 2007 letters from the DEA
- 22 that it was supposed to report suspicious orders to
- 23 its field offices, correct?
- 24 A. That's what --

¹ Mr. Murray that "The DEA showed up at our Jupiter

- ² distribution center and changed the locks on the
- control cages."
- Do you see that?
- A. Yes, that's on this e-mail.
- Q. And you had an understanding that the
- ⁷ Walgreens -- I'm sorry -- that the DEA, by changing
- 8 the locks on the control cages, that Walgreens was
- no longer allowed to access its at least
- Schedule II and Schedule III opiates, correct?
- 11 A. The control cages could be anything,
- ¹² C-IIs through III through Vs.
- Q. Yes, ma'am. That's why I said including
- 14 Schedule II and IIIs, correct?
- 15 A. And the IVs and Vs.
- 16 Q. Thank you. Walgreens could not access
- OxyContin in the cage, correct?
- 18 A. I'm not at the Jupiter DC, but, yes, I'm
- assuming so.
- 20 Q. Walgreens could not access hydromorphone
- 21 in its own cage in its own distribution center,
- 22 correct?
- 23 A. That would be my assumption based on
- 24 this information.

- 1 Q. Walgreens could not access hydrocodone
- ² in the cage, correct?
- 3 A. That would be my assumption based on the
- 4 information on this e-mail.
- 5 Q. Did you have an understanding that the
- 6 DEA issued an Order to Show Cause and an Immediate
- ⁷ Suspension Order on September 13, 2012 regarding
- 8 Walgreens' failure to abide by its responsibilities
- 9 as a distributor?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 11 BY THE WITNESS:
- 12 A. Could you rephrase the question.
- 13 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Yes, ma'am. Were you aware that the DEA
- 15 entered an Order to Show Cause and an Immediate
- 16 Suspension Order regarding Walgreens' Jupiter
- 17 distribution center?
- A. I'm not sure what I knew on which day.
- Q. What you relayed to Mr. Murray in this
- 20 e-mail is the contingency plan about how Walgreens
- 21 was going to get its controlled substances to its
- 22 pharmacies, correct?
- A. I -- this is so long ago, I'd have to
- 24 read it all through to get a better memory of what

- ¹ dated October 12, 2012.
- 2 Do you see that?
- ³ A. I see that, yes.
 - Q. Ms. Martin, I'm going to ask you
- ⁵ something out of order because I keep forgetting.
- 6 Your CV references that you were a guest
- ⁷ speaker at HDMA. Do you recall that off the top of

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- 8 your head?
- 9 A. I was a guest speaker at an HDMA seminar
- ¹⁰ in Milwaukee. I forget what year. It was
- 11 regarding returns.
- 12 Q. Okay.
 - A. Which is one of my areas.
- Q. When you say "returns," what does that
- 15 mean?

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- A. Both salable and salvage returns. So,
- if we have product in our stores and it's not
- 18 selling, maybe the patient moved, maybe someone
- 19 ordered too much, maybe the doctors' prescribing
- ²⁰ habits changed, we were running reports to help the
- 21 stores identify these items and get them back to
- ²² our vendors so that we could maximize our credits
- ²³ and salvage was once the product nears its
- ²⁴ expiration date, getting it back to return to get

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- 1 the plan is here.
- Q. Why don't you go ahead and review the
- ³ bottom half of that e-mail if you need to,
- 4 Ms. Martin.
- 5 You were working on the contingency plan
- 6 with your boss to ensure that Walgreens' shipments
- ⁷ of controlled substances would continue to the
- 8 stores on September 14, 2012 after the DEA locked
- ⁹ up Walgreens' cage, correct?
- A. That's what this says, "implement
- 11 contingency plan."
- Q. Ms. Martin, I'm going to hand you what
- we're going to mark as Martin 27.
- (WHEREUPON, a certain document was
- marked as Walgreens-Martin Exhibit
- No. 27: 10/12/12 e-mail with
- attachments; WAGMDL00319129 -
- 18 00319239.)
- 19 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Ms. Martin, you are familiar with a
- ²¹ third-party vendor Buzzeo?
- A. It's stretching my memory, but...
- Q. I'll represent to you that this is an
- ²⁴ e-mail from your e-mail box from a Leslie Lowry

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 1 it off of our shelves so that we're dispensing the
- ² most in-date product for patient safety.
- ³ Q. Were you a member of HDMA?
- 4 A. I am not.
 - Q. Is Walgreens a member of HDMA?
- 6 A. I don't know for sure.
- O. How did you -- how did it come about you
 - were asked to be a guest speaker at an HDMA
- ⁹ conference?

- A. My boss asked me to present. I don't
- 11 know how they -- who they reached out to or how
- ¹² that all happened.
- Q. You just know you were asked and you
- 4 went to Milwaukee?
- ¹⁵ A. I was asked and it's something I know
- ¹⁶ very well and so I went.
- Q. Back to Martin 27. Just if you would,
- please. This is Bates No. 319129. If you turn to
- 19 the second page of the document. "Welcome,
- 20 Suspicious Order Monitoring Seminar, Regulatory
- Issues and Handling Increased Enforcement."
- Do you recall attending this conference
- ³ at the Hyatt Regency O'Hare on October 11, 2012?
 - A. My memory was recently refreshed about

- 1 my attendance.
- 2 Q. Okay. By looking at this document?
- 3 A. Yes
- 4 Q. And was this the first Buzzeo conference
- 5 that you went to?
- 6 A. I believe it was the only one I ever
- ⁷ attended.
- 8 Q. Were you -- how did you become aware of
- 9 who Buzzeo was?
- A. I don't even believe I ever met him.
- 11 This was -- I believe Tasha Polster or someone else
- 12 found out about this seminar and recommended that I
- 13 attend. I believe that there were other Walgreens
- 14 representatives there as well, but I don't
- 15 remember.
- Q. Your recollection, it was Tasha Polster?
- 17 A. I believe so, yes.
- Q. Are you aware of anyone from Walgreens
- 19 had ever been to any other -- and I'm using Buzzeo.
- 20 Maybe that's inartful. Did -- I never can
- 21 pronounce this right. Is it Cegedim?
- A. Cegedim.
- 23 Q. Cegedim. Same question. Had you been
- 24 to any Cegedim conferences prior to this one?

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- $^{1}\,$ asked to go to a conference on suspicious order
- ² monitoring?
- ³ A. I didn't really think about it one way
- ⁴ or another.
- Q. Your job was more inventory flow and
- ⁶ store management. Did you wonder why you were
- ⁷ being asked to go to a suspicious order monitoring
- 8 conference?
- ⁹ A. I guess I just felt that my boss wanted
- me there, so it didn't seem any point to argue or
- ¹¹ question.
- Q. Was Tasha Polster your boss?
- A. No, Denny Murray was.
- Q. Did Mr. Murray ask you to go as well?
- A. I believe that Tasha was the one that
- ¹⁶ went to Denny.
- Q. You're familiar with a group that about
- 18 this time was forming at Walgreens called
- ¹⁹ Pharmaceutical Integrity?
- ²⁰ A. Yes.
- Q. And you assisted Walgreens in
- ²² Pharmaceutical Integrity, kind of the transition as
- ²³ that group got started, correct?
- A. Yeah, I helped them on like their

- ¹ A. I don't believe so.
- Q. Had you -- do you recall looking at any
- ³ Cegedim material prior to 2012?
- 4 A. No.
- ⁵ Q. Did anyone at Walgreens that you were
- ⁶ aware of receive or review any Cegedim material
- ⁷ prior to 2012?
- 8 A. Nothing that I know of.
- 9 Q. Who did you -- and I apologize if you
- ¹⁰ already told me this, but who did you attend this
- 11 conference with?
- 12 A. I don't remember.
- Q. Okay. But you -- how many -- it was a
- ¹⁴ one-day conference?
- A. For some reason I think it was a day and
- ¹⁶ a half.
- Q. A day and a half.
- A. It was definitely more than one day.
- Q. So, we just went through the e-mail
- ²⁰ where the DEA changed the padlock on the cage in
- ²¹ September, September 14, 2012. This is
- ²² approximately a month after, correct?
- A. That's what the dates show, yes.
- Q. Did you find it odd that you were being

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 1 reporting and monitoring of the reports that I was
- ² looking at.
- Q. And I think we looked at this morning on
- 4 your performance reviews that on the performance
- ⁵ reviews, your participation in suspicious order
- 6 monitoring, I think the term was, waning into 2012?
- A. Right, because of the other groups
 - 71. Tagit, occurse of the other
- 8 being...
- 9 Q. Yes, ma'am. Why were you not asked to
- ¹⁰ be part of Pharmaceutical Integrity, if you know,
- 11 or were you asked?
- 12 A. I wasn't asked. I don't know why I
- 13 wasn't.
- Q. And did you ever wonder why you weren't
- 15 asked?
- 16 A. No.
- Q. So, do you recall reviewing this
- presentation when it was e-mailed to you?
- A. I probably shared some of it with Denny
- and Tasha. I don't really have direct memory of
- 21 it.
- Q. Do you recall -- you have a direct
- 23 memory of attending the conference and seeing this
- 24 PowerPoint?

- ¹ A. My memory was refreshed.
- Q. Do you remember walking away from this
- ³ PowerPoint -- this presentation at the Hyatt
- ⁴ Regency O'Hare about suspicious order monitoring
- ⁵ with any perceptions or conclusions about the
- ⁶ viability of Walgreens' suspicious order monitoring
- ⁷ program?
- 8 A. The one perception that I remember
- ⁹ walking away from this seminar from is that this
- 10 company was trying to sell us some of their
- ¹¹ processes.
- Q. Did you think that their processes were
- 13 thorough and that they knew what they were talking
- 14 about?
- ¹⁵ A. They seemed to know what they were
- ¹⁶ talking about.
- Q. Were they thorough?
- A. I -- I don't think I'd be the right
- 19 person to be able to answer that question.
- Q. Who would be?
- A. Maybe someone in IT that could sit down
- ²² and look at their program and compare it to ours.
- Q. But do the folks in IT have a command of
- 24 the regs and the code of what obligations they were

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- Q. Can you identify anyone else at
- ² Walgreens based on your 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011 and
- 3 now we are here we are in October of 2012, who
- 4 understood Walgreens' responsibilities and duties
- 5 as a distributor under the federal code and federal
- 6 regs?

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- 7 MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 8 BY THE WITNESS:
- 9 A. Since it wasn't my area of
- 10 responsibility to interpret the regs, I would defer
- 11 to someone that had more knowledge and expertise.
- 12 BY MR. MOUGEY:
 - Q. And who was that outside of Mr. Piñon?
- 14 Can you point to anyone outside of him or his group
- 15 that had -- all day you've been saying, "It wasn't
- 16 my job to interpret. I didn't need to understand
- them. Somebody else did."
- Who was that? Who were those people,
- ¹⁹ Mr. Piñon and his group?
- 20 A. Yes.
- Q. Anyone else?
- A. Those were the people that I was relying
- 23 on to have the expertise to interpret the
- 24 regulations.

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- 1 trying to meet?
- ² MR. SWANSON: Object to form, foundation.
- ³ BY THE WITNESS:
- ⁴ A. I don't know. I don't know what they
- ⁵ would know.
- 6 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- ⁷ Q. Who at Walgreens is the right person to
- 8 talk to about understanding what Walgreens' beliefs
- ⁹ regarding its obligations as a distributor were
- ¹⁰ under the Controlled Substance Act?
- 11 A. In what time frame?
- Q. This entire time frame that we have been
- talking about that you've been involved, mid-2008
- 14 until now we are in October of 2012.
- Who at Walgreens understood Walgreens'
- 16 responsibilities and duties as a distributor under
- ¹⁷ the federal regulations?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form, foundation.
- 19 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. My best guess would be someone in the
- 21 legal department.
- 22 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. And that would be Mr. Piñon?
- A. Probably.

- Q. Thank you. If you would, please, turn
- ² to page 33 of the presentation or 68 of the Bates
- ³ number, and it's entitled "Red Flags."
- 4 Are you there?
- A. Yes, I'm on page 33.
- 6 Q. Now, you have a general understanding of
- ⁷ what the Walgreens suspicious order monitoring
- 8 system was designed to detect as part of its
- ⁹ algorithm, correct?
- ¹⁰ A. Yes.

- Q. Was there any system in place at
- ¹² Walgreens that looked for controlled substances
- ¹³ paid for in cash?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form, foundation.
- 15 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. My area didn't look at transactions.
- 17 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Fair enough. All I'm asking you about
- 19 is Barb Martin's understanding of any systems that
- were in place looking for red flags that included
- controlled substance payments in cash.
- A. I don't know if anyone was looking at that or not.
- Q. But I'm asking you a little something

- ¹ different, and I understand you don't know the
- ² whole Walgreens.
- Do you have an understanding,
- 4 Barb Martin, were there any systems that were in
- ⁵ place looking for red flags that included
- controlled substance payment in cash?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form, asked and
- 8 answered.
- BY THE WITNESS:
- 10 A. The systems that I worked on didn't look
- 11 at that.
- 12 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. And you're not aware of any that did?
- 14 A. I don't have any direct knowledge. I'm
- ¹⁵ sure there was stuff out there.
- 16 Q. You're sure there is stuff out there.
- 17 A. It's a big company. We got to track
- 18 something.
- 19 Q. I'm asking you. Do you have any
- 20 personal knowledge of any system at Walgreens as
- 21 part of its suspicious order monitoring policies
- ²² and procedures that was designed to detect payments
- 23 in cash?
- 24 MR. SWANSON: Object to form.

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- 1 direction. You can answer the question however you
- ² feel appropriate.
- ³ BY THE WITNESS:
- A. I didn't have any direct knowledge of
- 5 looking at out-of-state patients.
- BY MR. MOUGEY:
 - Q. Do you have any direct knowledge of any
- system at Walgreens identifying suspicious orders
- looking for large percentage of controlled
- substances versus non-controlled substances?
- 11 A. Early on in my testimony I talked about
- 12 running some ad hoc reporting, and we did pull data
- 13 like this occasionally. If there is other people
- 14 doing it more routinely, I'm not aware of that.
- 15 But I know that we pulled some in my team several
- 16 different times.
- 17 Q. And you understand that that was
- 18 Walgreens filling its roles as a distributor
- 19 looking at the percentage of controlled substances
- versus non-controlled substances?
- A. I'm not sure that I knew all of that at
- 22 the time of the request, but when the request came
- 23 in, I knew I needed to help the people that were
- ²⁴ making the requests.

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- ¹ BY THE WITNESS:
- A. I don't have that direct knowledge.
- ³ BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Do you have any direct knowledge of any
- ⁵ system at Walgreens as part of its suspicious order
- 6 monitoring policies and procedures that was
- ⁷ designed to identify red flags such as out-of-state
- 8 patients?
- 9 A. That wasn't anything that I was working
- ¹⁰ on.
- 11 Q. So, no, you do not have any
- 12 understanding?
- 13 A. I'm not aware if that was going on or
- 14 not.
- 15 Q. What I'd like you to do is if you have
- ¹⁶ an understanding, just tell me yes, I know, and if
- ¹⁷ I don't know of anything, no. I know you don't
- 18 know the whole corporation and I know you don't --
- 19 that there might be somebody else. But I'm just
- ²⁰ asking if you know of anyone. Okay.
- 21 Do you know of any systems for
- ²² suspicious order monitoring that were looking to
- 23 detect out-of-state patients?
- 24 MR. SWANSON: Object to the speech and the

- Q. Lack of patient contracts. Was that any
- ² part of Walgreens' suspicious order monitoring
- policies or procedures that you're aware of?
- A. I don't even understand what "patient
- contracts" means.
- Q. Lack of alternative treatments. Are you
- aware of anything?
- A. I'm sorry. Am I aware of?
- Q. Same question I've asked like 14 times.
- 10 Are you aware that Walgreens had any
- policies and procedures in place analyzing whether
- or not the prescribers had alternative treatments?
- 13 A. I personally did not have any direct
- knowledge of that.
- Q. Same question for the next, DEA
- 16 compliance issues. Do you know if anybody was
- paying attention to Walgreens' compliance issues?
 - MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 19 BY THE WITNESS:

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- 20 A. I'd probably need a little more
- 21 information on what was being defined as a
- ²² compliance issue.
- 23 BY MR. MOUGEY:
 - Q. How about settlement agreements with the

- ¹ DEA regarding Walgreens' dispensing practices?
 - A. I had some indirect knowledge of that.
- Q. Were you aware that Walgreens entered
- ⁴ into an agreement with the DEA regarding its
- ⁵ dispensing practices in San Diego in 2011?
- 6 A. I'm going to say no to that one.
 - Q. Were you aware that there was specific
- 8 agreements between Walgreens and the DEA that it
- ⁹ would take specific courses of action as a result
- 10 of that agreement in 2011?
- A. I wasn't aware of that agreement. If
- 12 someone asked me to do something based on that
- 13 settlement, they didn't explain why.
- Q. If you turn back to page 30, Bates
- ¹⁵ No. 165, "Common SOM Pitfalls."
- I apologize. Just one second,
- ¹⁷ Ms. Martin. Lost my place.
- I apologize, Ms. Martin. I went to the
- 19 wrong page.

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- Would you mind going to Bates No. 92 and
- ²¹ a section entitled "SOM," Suspicious Order
- 22 Monitoring, "System," it says "Best Worst
- ²³ Practices." Are you there?
- A. No. I don't have the Bates numbers. I

1 looking at this document. I don't know who wrote

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- ² this document, if this is just Cegedim's
- ³ interpretation or if this is, you know, legalese.
- Q. Okay. Did you take it to Mr. Piñon and
- 5 his group and say, "I just got this from Cegedim
- 6 and it's telling us that one of the worst practices
- ⁷ is to reduce orders or cutting them to a more
- 8 acceptable order size"?
- A. I honestly don't remember what I did or
 didn't do with this information.
- Q. So, that's October 12, 2012. Let me
- hand you P-WAG-1050. We will mark as Martin 28.
 - (WHEREUPON, a certain document was
- marked as Walgreens-Martin Exhibit
- No. 28: 11/9/12 e-mail string;
- ¹⁶ WAGMDL00658246 00658248.)
- 17 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. I want you to turn to the last page so
- 19 we can see that this is an e-mail from Rex Swords
- who was the divisional vice president of pharmacy
- 21 services. Are you familiar with Mr. Swords?
- 22 A. Yes, I know him.
- Q. Okay. If you turn two pages forward,
- 24 you can see that he sent an e-mail to Kermit

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- ¹ don't know what you are talking about.
- Q. I'm sorry.
- ³ A. Sorry.
- 4 Q. It's my fault. It's Bates No. 92. It's
- ⁵ the last two digits. The title is "SOM,"
- ⁶ Suspicious Order Monitoring, "System Best," and
- ⁷ it's crossed out, "Worst Practices."
- 8 Do you see that?
- 9 A. Yes, I see that.
- Q. And the third section down, "System
- 11 allows for 'cutting' orders to a 'more acceptable'
- 12 order size."
- Did I read that right?
- 14 A. Yes, you read that correctly.
- Q. And that is exactly what Walgreens had
- 16 been doing, cutting orders back to what it deemed
- were an acceptable level, correct?
- A. That was one of the things that we were
- 19 doing, yes.
 - Q. Did you take that back to your superiors
- 21 at Walgreens and said that "The Cegedim during the
- 22 conference you sent me said that we shouldn't be
- 23 cutting orders to a more acceptable order size"?
- A. I'm not sure I did or didn't. I'm

- ¹ Crawford. Do you know who Kermit Crawford is?
- ² A. Yes.
- Q. Who is Mr. Crawford?
- 4 A. I believe that he was Rex's boss at the
- 5 time.
- 6 Q. This is about as senior at Walgreens as
- you can get here at corporate, correct?
- 8 A. Short of going to like a company
- ⁹ president or CEO.
- Q. Yes, ma'am. And Mr. Swords, we
- 11 mentioned Pharmaceutical Integrity, correct,
- 12 earlier?

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- 13 A. Yes.
- Q. And Ms. Polster, yes, Ms. Polster was
- ¹⁵ head of Pharmaceutical Integrity, correct?
- 16 A. That is correct.
 - Q. And Pharmaceutical Integrity in late
- 18 '12, early '13 took over suspicious order
- 19 monitoring policies, correct?
- 20 A. Yes.
- Q. And, so, Mr. Swords copies Ms. Polster
- ²² and also here's Mr. Piñon again, correct, Piñon?
- A. His name is here, yes.
 - Q. Yes, ma'am. And his department,

- 1 regulatory and law, Patty Zagami, correct?
- 2 A. Her name is listed here too, yes.
- Q. Yes, ma'am. And now if you look above
- ⁴ that, Anika Madarasz. Can you help me out with
- 5 that?
- 6 A. I vaguely remember her.
- 7 Q. Okay.
- 8 A. I'm not comfortable correcting your
- ⁹ pronunciation.
- Q. All right. And then -- so, that e-mail
- 11 then is forwarded to several people, correct?
- 12 A. Yes, she sent this e-mail to a number of
- 13 different people, yes.
- Q. And then Mike Bleser sent the e-mail to
- 15 you, correct?
- 16 A. Me, Denny and Frank.
- Q. I might just be tired. But do you see
- 18 Anika, Anika's name anywhere on that e-mail below?
- 19 A. I do not.
- Q. Do you have any understanding of how
- 21 Anika could forward an e-mail that we don't see her
- 22 copied on?
- A. Someone cut something out. I -- I don't
- 24 know.

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 - name as the gentleman that signed the three letters
 that we went through earlier from the DEA in 2006,
 - ³ early 2007 and late 2007?
 - 4 A. I don't remember looking at the
 - ⁵ signatures of those letters.
 - 6 Q. And if you'd turn the page to Bates
 - ⁷ No. 47, at the top of the page, the fourth bullet
 - 8 down, "Reviewed 21 CFR 1301.74." Are you there
 - 9 with me?
 - 10 A. Yes, I see that.
 - Q. And you recognize that language. That
 - 12 was in all of the letters that we reviewed from the
 - 13 DEA in 2006 and 2007 about the registrant designing
 - 14 and operating "a system to disclose to the
 - 15 registrant suspicious orders of controlled
 - 16 substances." Correct?
 - 17 A. That's what this says, yes.
 - Q. And the bullet below, "If suspicious -
 - 19 you don't ship. Decreasing the order and shipping
 - is not complying with the regulation."
 - 21 Did I read that right?
 - A. You read that correctly, yes.
 - Q. So, we just looked at a Buzzeo
 - ²⁴ presentation that you attended in October of 2012

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- Q. And then Mr. Bleser forwarded the
- ² contents of the e-mail to you, correct?
- 3 A. Correct.
- 4 Q. So, let's look back down at Mr. Swords'
- ⁵ e-mail to Kermit Crawford, amongst others, and what
- 6 I want to direct your attention to is that he's
- ⁷ referencing a November 8th DEA meeting at NAPB,
- 8 correct?
- 9 A. That's the subject line, yes.
- Q. I forget the acronym. National
- 11 Association of?
- 12 A. Boards of Pharmacy.
- Q. There you go.
- And he relays that "I have the sense
- 15 that today's meeting was a condensed version of the
- 16 regional meetings the DEA is holding throughout the
- 17 country for pharmacists." He references that he
- thought several of the chains were there.
- Do you see that?
- 20 A. Yes.
- Q. But below that, what I want to point
- 22 out, do you see Joseph Rannazzisi?
- A. I see his name, yes.
- Q. Yes, ma'am. And do you recognize his

- 1 and within a month of the Buzzeo presentation
- ² Mr. Rex Swords is at another meeting with the DEA

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- ³ where he's being told, "Decreasing the order and
- 4 shipping is not complying with the regulation,"
- 5 correct?
- 6 A. That's what this says, yes.
- 7 Q. And this was sent to you as well,
- 8 correct?

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- 9 A. It was forwarded on to me, yes.
- Q. And then the next bullet says, "Ignoring
- 11 suspicious orders will result in civil penalties.
- 12 Cited Cardinal, ABC and McKesson fines."
- 13 Correct?
 - A. That's what that statement says, yes.
- Q. Now, let's go down to three-quarters of
- 16 the page and you see "Red Flags"?
 - A. Yes, I see that.
- Q. And at least some of these red flags are
- 19 the same red flags that were identified in the
- 20 Buzzeo presentation, correct?
- A. I believe so.
- Q. And this is coming directly from the DEA
- 23 to Walgreens, correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form, lacks

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- 1 foundation.
- ² BY THE WITNESS:
- 3 A. It's coming from an e-mail that Rex
- 4 wrote.
- 5 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- 6 Q. Yes, ma'am. Where he references a
- ⁷ meeting with Joseph Rannazzisi, the Deputy
- 8 Administrator -- Deputy Assistant Administrator,
- ⁹ Office of Diversion Control, correct? First page,
- 10 middle of the page.
- 11 A. Yes.
- Q. And he -- Mr. Swords goes on,
- 13 "Mr. Rannazzisi presented a large PowerPoint deck
- 14 on prescription drug trafficking and abuse for two
- 15 hours," correct? "Approximately two hours,"
- 16 correct?
- 17 A. That's what that says, yes.
- Q. So, you, your boss, Mr. Bleser,
- 19 Mr. Murray and several senior members of Walgreens
- 20 management were put on alert that decreasing the
- 21 order and shipping is not complying with the
- ²² regulation as of November 9, 2012, correct?
- A. That's what this document says, yes.
- Q. Did Walgreens take the information that

- ¹ others. Do you see that?
 - A. I don't have a copy of the paper yet.
 - ³ Q. I'm sorry, Ms. Martin.
 - (WHEREUPON, a certain document was

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- 5 marked as Walgreens-Martin Exhibit
- 6 No. 29: 8/3/10 e-mail with
- ⁷ attachments; WAGMDL00660331 -
- 8 00660337.)
- ⁹ BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Do you have it in front of you,
- 11 Ms. Martin?
- 12 A. Yes, I do.
- Q. All right. This is an e-mail from
- Daniel Coughlin to yourself, amongst others, dated
- ¹⁵ August 3, 2010, correct?
 - 6 A. It's to Marcie, and I'm cc'd among
- another bunch of people.
- ¹⁸ Q. Yes, ma'am. And including Mr. Piñon,
- 19 correct?
- A. Yes, I see his name.
- Q. Do you recall who Daniel Coughlin is?
 - A. I know he had something to do with the
- ²³ distribution centers. I'm not sure of his exact
- ²⁴ title. I want to say vice president.

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- ¹ Mr. Swords passed around and change its algorithm
- ² to no longer cut what it internally was calling a
- ³ suspicious order?
- 4 MR. SWANSON: Object to form, lacks
- ⁵ foundation.
- 6 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. I know over the years we have made a lot
- 8 of different changes. What we did when is a little
- ⁹ bit vague to me. But I would believe that, yes, we
- ¹⁰ did act on this information.
- 11 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Do you recall that version 5.5, which
- 13 was entered after these October and
- 14 November e-mails, still included in the algorithm a
- 15 suspicious order being cut and not reported to the
- 16 DEA?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 18 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. I don't remember that directly off the
- 20 top of my head.
- 21 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Ms. Martin, I want to go back in time to
- ²³ August of 2010. Mark this as Martin 29. This is
- ²⁴ an e-mail from Daniel Coughlin to yourself, amongst

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- Q. Do you know if he was in a specific
- ² distribution center or was he in corporate?
- ³ A. I don't remember where he was based.
- 4 Q. So, the subject line is "Suspicious
- ⁵ Controlled Drug Orders."
- Do you see that?
- 7 A. Yes, I see that subject line.
 - Q. And he had two questions. Do you see
- 9 that it's No. 1 and No. 2?
- 10 A. Yes, I see that.
 - Q. And No. 1, he said, "I recall the old
- ¹² paper report as being inches thick. This was
- 13 replaced by same data on disk and eventually
- electronic transmission. We were instructed in
- ^{.5} 1985 not to review or contact anyone on the data."
- Did I get that right?
 - A. That's what this says, yes.
- Q. Okay. "Who from your group has been
- 19 reviewing the data collected for the past 25
- 20 years?"

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- Now, did that give you some pause for
- ²² alarm in August 3 of 2010 that Mr. Coughlin was
- ³ asking Ms. Ranick in Loss Prevention and copying
- you asking who has been reviewing the suspicious

- 1 controlled drug orders for the last 25 years?
- 2 MR. SWANSON: Object to form, foundation.
- ³ BY THE WITNESS:
- 4 A. This e-mail wasn't sent to me. So, I
- 5 don't know what Marcie or her team was doing and --
- 6 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- 7 Q. Did you ask?
- 8 A. I personally did not.
- 9 Q. And did you not ask because when you
- 10 look at an e-mail like this that you've got Dwayne
- 11 Piñon from legal on this that you assumed that
- 12 regulatory and law was ensuring that Walgreens was
- 13 complying with its obligations as a distributor
- 14 under the federal code and the federal regs?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 16 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. I was assuming that if this was
- 18 addressed to Marcie, that her and her team were
- 19 taking appropriate action.
- 20 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. 25 years. Who has been reviewing these
- 22 reports for the last 25 years, somebody from the
- 23 distribution center, under suspicious drug
- 24 controlled drug orders. That doesn't make you stop

- A. No, it was not me. We didn't have --
- ² the program that I worked on didn't exist 25 years
- ³ ago.
- ⁴ BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. At any point in time in your tenure at
- ⁶ Walgreens that we have been discussing today from
- ⁷ the suspicious order monitoring that you were
- 8 involved in, so, from 2008 to 2012, were you
- ⁹ charged with reviewing suspicious controlled drug
- 10 orders to perform due diligence to ensure the
- ¹¹ viability of those orders going to legitimate
- 12 patients outside of just testing the validity of
- 13 the reports?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 15 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. Yes, I was performing due diligence on
- 17 some of those reports.
- 18 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. And define for me what you mean by due
- ²⁰ diligence.
- A. I would look at data. I would look at
- 22 the store's history and see if it made sense. If
- 23 something didn't make sense to me, I would call the

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24 store or the district manager or the pharmacy

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- 1 what you're doing for the course of the day and
- ² follow up? 25 years?
- ³ A. It wasn't my area of responsibility.
- 4 Q. Did it not give you any concern that a
- ⁵ member of Walgreens distribution center is asking
- 6 who has been reviewing our suspicious controlled
- ⁷ drug orders for the last 25 years?
- 8 MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 9 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. He's asking a question. We don't know
- 11 based on this e-mail who was or who wasn't doing
- 12 it. Just because he's asking who doesn't mean it
- ¹³ wasn't being done.
- 14 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. And it certainly wasn't you, correct?
- A. This reporting was not my area of
- 17 responsibility.
- Q. And not just reporting. Reviewing.
- 19 What he is asking is who from the group has been
- ²⁰ reviewing the data collected for the last 25 years,
- 21 suspicious controlled drug orders. That was not
- 22 you, correct?
- 23 MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 24 BY THE WITNESS:

- ¹ supervisor and try to obtain additional
- ² information.
- ³ Q. And that was part of your
- 4 responsibilities in the, you know, a few hours up
- 5 to ten hours a week reviewing the reports from the
- 6 algorithm?
- 7 A. Yes.

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- Q. Let me hand you Martin 30.
- 9 (WHEREUPON, a certain document was
- marked as Walgreens-Martin Exhibit
- No. 30: 1/10/11 e-mail string;
- 12 WAGFLDEA00000846 00000851.)
- 13 BY MR. MOUGEY:
 - Q. This is an e-mail chain with you
- 15 included and Kristine Atwell. Are you familiar
- ¹⁶ with Ms. Atwell?
 - A. I remember her name, yes.
- Q. Yes, ma'am. You remember her name from
- 19 this e-mail exchange?
- A. Yeah, I remember we had -- she worked in
- ²¹ Jupiter. We had a number of different
- 22 conversations via either phone call or e-mails.
- Q. She worked at the Jupiter distribution
- 24 center?

- ¹ A. Yes.
- ² Q. The one that was padlocked by the DEA,
- ³ correct?
- 4 MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- ⁵ BY MR. MOUGEY:
- 6 Q. Correct?
- ⁷ A. She worked in Jupiter, yes.
- 8 Q. Yes, ma'am. The same Jupiter that the
- ⁹ DEA came in and locked up the cage and kept
- ¹⁰ Walgreens from accessing its Schedule II and
- ¹¹ Schedule III opiates, correct?
- 12 A. That's in a different time period than
- 13 this e-mail.
- Q. Yes, ma'am. That's not what I asked.
- What I simply asked you was: This is
- 16 the same Jupiter that was ultimately where the
- locks were changed by the DEA, correct?
- ¹⁸ A. Yes.
- Q. And this e-mail chain is dated
- ²⁰ January 10, 2011, correct?
- A. That is correct. Yes.
- O. And if we start at the bottom of this
- e-mail chain on Bates No. 51, the very last page,
- ²⁴ there is two sets of Bates numbers. This is

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 1 you're purchasing or returning C-II drugs.
 - Q. "This is creating an issue in
 - ³ maintaining enough 222 forms to fill all of the
 - ⁴ orders because a new 222 form is generated for
 - ⁵ every 128 bottles of this WIC," and that is the --
 - 6 what's WIC stand for again?
 - A. Walgreens item code.
 - Q. -- "that are ordered. For example, when
 - 9 they order 450 bottles, there will be four 222
 - 10 forms printed to accommodate this one order. I
 - 11 feel that this store needs to justify the large
 - 12 quantity."
 - Did I read that right?
 - A. That's what she wrote, yes.
 - O. "Three stores that come to mind are,"
 - ¹⁶ and I'm going to -- I want you to help me remember
 - 17 these. Write these down. Do you have a pen over
 - 18 there?
 - 19 A. I do not.
 - ²⁰ Q. Okay. 7298, 3836 and 5018. Okay. Got
 - 21 it?
 - A. I might have to flip back and forth.
 - Q. All right. We'll just kind of put this
 - ²⁴ document off to the side.

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- ¹ WAGFLDEA851, very last page.
- ² A. Yes, I see that.
- ³ Q. You can see this is an e-mail from
- ⁴ Kristine Atwell.
- 5 "What are your thoughts on this matter?"
- 6 Do you see that?
- A. I see that, yes.
- ⁸ Q. Okay. Let's go to the previous
- ⁹ page where Ms. Atwell from the Jupiter distribution
- 10 center asks you, "I have" -- and I'm on Bates
- 11 No. 50 -- "I have several stores that are ordering
- 12 huge quantities of 682971 on a regular basis."
- And that is a controlled substance,
- 14 correct?
- A. Off the top of my head I don't remember
- ¹⁶ what that WIC number is associated with, but --
- Q. This is -- I'm sorry. Go ahead. Were
- 18 you finished?
- A. We'll just assume it's some kind of a
- ²⁰ C-II because she is mentioning the 222 forms.
- Q. Yes, ma'am. The 222 forms need to be
- ²² filled out when a certain amount of controlled
- ²³ substances are shipped, correct?
- A. The 222 form is required by the DEA when

So, essentially Ms. Atwell is asking

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- ² you, these stores should justify these large
- ³ amounts of Schedule II controlled substance,
- 4 correct?
 - A. Of this particular item, yes.
- Q. Yes, ma'am. And you respond to her on
- ⁷ Bates No. 49 and reply, "I am able to look at store
- 8 item movement if this helps."
- 9 Do you see where I am?
- 10 A. Yes.

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- Q. "You can contact the store for more
- 12 information."
- So, you didn't contact the store. You
- 14 told her to contact the store. Correct?
 - A. That's what I wrote, yes.
- Q. Somebody in the distribution center,
- ¹⁷ correct?
- A. That's what I wrote, yes.
- Q. Not Barb Martin performing the due
- diligence. You told her to contact the store,
- 21 correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 23 BY THE WITNESS:
 - A. I told Kristine to reach out to the

Page 334 Page 336 ¹ store, yes. 1 redo that. ² BY MR. MOUGEY: Ms. Atwell responds to you. That makes Q. You said, "These sales are quite high ³ it even better. 4 compared to other non-Florida stores." She runs "a query to see how many 5 5 bottles we have sent," and she says, "store 3836," Correct? "and we have shipped them 3271 bottles between 6 A. That's what I wrote, yes. 7 7 12/1/10 and 1/10/11." Q. "Store 7298 sells about 22,000 tabs of 682971 every week." 8 Now do I have that right? That's from 9 Correct? her to you, correct? 10 A. That's what I wrote, yes. MR. SWANSON: Object to the preface. Go ahead "That translates to 220 bottles per 11 and answer. 11 12 BY MR. MOUGEY: 12 week." 13 Is that "SO"? Is that supposed to be Q. That's from her to you, correct? 14 "of"? 14 A. Yes, she wrote this e-mail. 15 Oh, I'm sorry. Never mind. 15 Q. So, she runs the query and then she 16 "That translates to 220 dollars per 16 says, "I don't know how they can even house this many bottles to be honest." week, so 450 bottles is more than a two-week supply." (As read.) 18 Correct? Did I get that right? 19 19 A. That's what she wrote, yes. Did I get that right? 20 20 A. I wrote "a little more than a two-week Q. "How do we go about checking the 21 supply." validity of these orders?" 22 22 Q. Yes, ma'am. And if you turn to Bates Correct? No. 47, you e-mailed her again and said, "I ran a 23 A. That's what she wrote, yes. ²⁴ query to see how many bottles we have sent to store Q. Here we are, Barb Martin doing due Page 335 Page 337 1 3836 and we have shipped them 3271 bottles between ¹ diligence on the store, gets contacted by the ² 12/1/10 and 1/10/11." ² distribution center. There is 3271 bottles. The 3 Correct? ³ distribution center is asking you what do we do. 4 MR. SWANSON: Object to form, mischaracterizes ⁴ And what do you tell her on the first page, 5 the document. ⁵ Ms. Martin? 6 BY MR. MOUGEY: Make sure I get this right. This is Q. "I ran a query to see how many bottles ⁷ from you to her, right? 8 we have sent to store 3836 and we have shipped them You don't make the call. You tell her approximately 3271 bottles between 12/1/10 and after 3200 bottles of a Schedule II to one 10 1/10/11." 10 pharmacy, you tell her, "Terry Collins is the 11 Did I read that right? 11 district pharmacy supervisor. His cell is," and 12 MR. SWANSON: Same objection. you give her the cell, "He may be able to shed the 13 MR. MOUGEY: What's your objection, Counselor? 13 light on the subject." 14 14 MR. SWANSON: You said she wrote it. Did I get that right? 15 15 MR. MOUGEY: You're right. These e-mails are A. That's what I wrote, yes. 16 so jacked up. 16 Q. Yes, ma'am. Now, when you were 17 MR. SWANSON: Wasn't hard for me to figure testifying to this jury about the due diligence you 18 out. would perform on orders that would -- that were 19 MR. MOUGEY: Yes, because you are so much 19 flagged, is this the kind of due diligence you 20 smarter than me. I appreciate that. You all performed where you told the distribution center 21 remind me of that every day. I will work hard to 21 after they ask you how do we check about the 22 get there. viability, you tell them to contact the district 23 BY MR. MOUGEY: ²³ pharmacy supervisor? 24 A. That is one way of doing it. I can look Q. So here you are. I apologize. Let's

Page 338 ¹ at sales history and I can see what was ordered. ¹ Suspension to Walgreens Jupiter," and it cites to ² Exhibit B. ² But I'm not near that store. I don't have access ³ to the prescriptions that they're filling and I 3 Do you see that? 4 don't have access to any of their patient A. I see that, yes. ⁵ information. Q. Okay. Let's go to Exhibit B. Go to the tab. It says Appendix B. It's dated September 13, That is why I referred her to Terry who 2012. ⁷ is in the district, and he could go and work with 8 8 that store to determine why they're filling so many Do you see that? prescriptions for their patients. A. I see that, yes. 10 Q. That was one day after your e-mail to Q. So, this is the typical type of due 11 diligence when you mentioned it earlier, you would your boss informing him that the DEA had changed 12 tell the Jupiter distribution center that was the locks on Walgreens' cage, correct? 13 ultimately locked by the DEA that she should call A. I don't remember the exact dates. 14 14 the district pharmacy supervisor, correct? Q. This document, Exhibit B, Order to Show MR. SWANSON: Object to form. 15 Cause and Immediate Suspension of Registration on 16 BY THE WITNESS: Page No. 28 of 349, correct? 17 A. It's one of the types. Since I didn't 17 Do you see the page numbers in the have access to this store's information, that's -middle of the page, 28 of 349? ¹⁹ I couldn't take any direct action. A. At the bottom, yes. (WHEREUPON, a certain document was 20 20 Q. Yes, ma'am. And you see the title where 21 marked Walgreens-Martin Exhibit it says Order to Show Cause and Immediate 22 No. 31: Binder of documents, Suspension of Registration, correct? 23 23 "Settlement and Memorandum of A. Yes. 24 24 Agreement" and various other Q. And if you look at paragraph 1, it's Page 339 Page 341 1 referencing Walgreens Jupiter Florida distribution 1 documents; beginning Bates No. ² center, correct? Paragraph 1. WAGMDL00490963.) ³ BY MR. MOUGEY: A. Yes. Q. I hand you what we're going to mark as Q. If you look at paragraph 2, the first ⁵ Martin 31, and I ask you to remember that store ⁵ sentence, "Since at least 2009, the State of 6 Florida has been the epicenter of a notorious, 6 number. 7 ⁷ well-documented epidemic of prescription drug So, before we go to Exhibit 31, the 8 abuse." ⁸ store number that she was asking about with the 3,200 bottles on Bates No. 47 is 3836. Okay? Did I get that right? 10 10 Do you see that, 3836? A. That's the statement written here, yes. 11 11 A. I see that, yes. Q. And follows it up with, "In July of 12 Q. Martin 21 -- 31 is titled Settlement and 2011, the Florida Surgeon General declared a public health emergency based on the prescription pill 13 Memorandum of Agreement, correct? 14 A. That's the title of this document, yes. epidemic which results in an average of seven 15 Q. Yes, ma'am. And if you look at No. 4 on overdose deaths per day in Florida." ¹⁶ Bates No. 63, you'll see that it references 16 Correct? 17 ¹⁷ "Walgreens' Jupiter Distribution Center is A. That's what this document says. registered with the DEA as a distributor of Q. The dates in paragraph 2 from 2009 to 19 Schedule II through IV." (As read.) 2011 cover the exact same time span when you and 20 Do you see that? Paragraph 4? your colleagues at Walgreens are working on the 21 A. Yes, I see that. 21 suspicious order monitoring policy with Mr. -- with 22 Q. You will see in paragraph 5, "On 22 Mr. Bancroft, correct?

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23 September 13, 2012, the DEA by its Administrator

²⁴ issued an Order to Show Cause and Immediate

A. Yeah, that sounds right.

Q. If you turn the page to page 30 of 349,

- ¹ at the top of the page lists six store locations.
- ² Do you see those?
- 3 A. Yes, I see those.
- 4 Q. And if you look at No. 4, 3836 is the
- ⁵ exact same store that Ms. Atwell was e-mailing you
- 6 about in the beginning of 2011, correct?
 - A. That is, yes, one of the stores.
- 8 Q. When she relays, "I ran a query to see
- 9 how many bottles we have sent to store 3836. We've
- 10 shipped them 3271 bottles from 12/1/10 to 1/10/11.
- 11 I don't know how they can keep this many bottles to
- 12 be" -- "how they can even house this many bottles
- 13 to be honest. How do we go about checking the
- 14 validity of these orders?"
- 15 Correct?
- A. That's what she wrote, yes.
- Q. Yes, ma'am. And if you look at No. 4 on
- 18 store 3836, oxycodone is Schedule II and one of the
- 19 most highly abused controlled substance --
- 20 controlled substances, correct?
- A. By definition, when the DEA classifies a
- ²² product as a Schedule II, it's both highly
- ²³ addictive and abusable.
- 4 Q. And according to these numbers and the

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- 1 agreement with the DEA, Walgreens went from 344,000
- 2 dosage units to 849,000 dosage units, correct?
- 3 MR. SWANSON: Object to form, mischaracterizes
- 4 the document you're reading from.
- 5 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. I see the changes in numbers. Again,
- 7 I'm just not -- I'm not sure where this data is
- 8 coming from.
- 9 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- O Q. I understand. But let's just look --
- 11 let's do this just to clear up any confusion.
- Turn to page 2 of 349 and keep your
- 13 thumb in 30 of 49. Do you see "Stipulation and
- 14 Agreement"?

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- 15 A. I see that title.
 - Q. What do you understand, Ms. Martin, that
- 17 "Stipulation and Agreement" means?
- A. I'm not really sure. This looks like a
- very complicated legal document, and I would leave
- 20 it for someone that's more --
- Q. Yes, ma'am, like Mr. Piñon to tell us.
- Paragraph No. 2, "Walgreens acknowledges
- 23 that suspicious order reporting for distribution to
- 24 certain pharmacies did not meet the standards

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- 1 agreement between Walgreens and the DEA in 2009,
- ² there were 344,000 dosage units of oxycodone in
- 3 2009, correct?
- 4 MR. SWANSON: Object to form, characterization.
- 5 BY THE WITNESS:
- 6 A. I'm not sure where this data is being
- ⁷ supplied from.
- 8 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- 9 Q. Yes, ma'am. Because you certainly
- 10 didn't go and look. You told her to contact the
- 11 pharmacy supervisor, correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form, argumentative.
- 13 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Because you don't know the numbers,
- 15 correct? You never looked?
- A. For this particular store, if you go
- ¹⁷ back on my e-mail, I was unable to look because I
- 18 was unable to access the store's system. Since I
- 19 didn't have any other information to justify the
- 20 information, I referred her to someone that was
- 21 closer to the store and could have helped her.
- Q. While seven people a day in the State of
- 23 Florida are overdosing, the oxycodone purchases by
- 24 dosage unit from 2009 to 2010, according to the

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 1 identified by DEA in three letters from DEA Deputy
- ² Assistant Director, Office of Diversion Control,
- ³ sent to every registered manufacturer and
- 4 distributor, including Walgreens, on September 27,
- ⁵ 2006, February 7, 2007 and December 27, 2007."
- 6 Did I get that right?
- 7 MR. SWANSON: Object to the preface to that
- 8 question. Go ahead and answer.
- 9 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Did I get that right, Ms. Martin?
 - A. I believe you read the words correctly.
- Q. Do you recognize those dates as the
- 13 letters we went through earlier, September of '06,
- 14 February of '07 and December of '07?
- 15 A. Vaguely.
- Q. Yes, ma'am. And you understand that
 - Walgreens is acknowledging that its suspicious
- order reporting for the Jupiter distribution center
- 19 did not meet the standards identified in those
- 20 letters?

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- A. That's the verbiage on this form.
- Q. Yes, ma'am. That Walgreens signed and
- 23 agreed to, correct, ma'am?
 - A. I have no direct knowledge of who signed

1 it.

- Q. I thought you might say that, so why
- ³ don't we turn to page 11 of 349, less than ten
- 4 pages after the Stipulation and Agreement wherein
- 5 "Walgreens acknowledges that suspicious order
- 6 reporting for distribution to certain pharmacies
- 7 did not meet the standards identified by the DEA,"
- 8 you see that Thomas Sabatino, executive vice
- 9 president, general counsel and corporate secretary,
- 10 signed on behalf of Walgreens on June 10, 2013,
- 11 correct?
- 12 A. I see that, yes.
- Q. Yes, ma'am. So let's go back to page 30
- 14 of 349 and store 3836.
- So, in the data provided in this
- 16 agreement, Walgreens dosage units of oxycodone from
- 17 the store that you were contacted about in
- 18 January of '11 went from 344,000 dosage units
- 19 according to this document to 849,000, correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to the characterization.
- 21 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. That's what the numbers on the form say.
- 23 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. And you understand that that is an

- 1 community is in store 3836, Port Richey, Florida?
- A. I -- I don't know that area.
- Q. Do you have Google on your computer?
- A. I do now. I don't know if I had it back
- 5 then.
- Q. So, if you would have Googled Fort
- ⁷ Pierce back then, you would know -- I'm sorry --
- 8 Port Richey, you would have looked and found that
- ⁹ Port Richey, Florida has a population of
- ¹⁰ approximately 5,000 people.
- 5,000 people in January '11, over
- 12 1.4 million dosage units of oxycodone, correct?
- 3 MR. SWANSON: Object to form, assumes facts
- 14 not in evidence, foundation.
- 15 BY THE WITNESS:
 - A. I'm not sure I understand what you're
- ¹⁷ trying to ask me.

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- 18 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Yes, ma'am. If you would have looked in
- ²⁰ January -- at the beginning of January '11, you
- 21 would have been able to determine that Port Richey,
- ²² Florida has a population of approximately 5,000
- 23 people and potentially prevented Walgreens from

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24 dispensing 1.4 million dosage units in that

- ¹ increase of approximately 150% in the course of
- ² that one year, correct?
- ³ A. I don't -- I wouldn't be able to do
- 4 those calculations in the top of my head.
- ⁵ Q. How about this. It's more than double?
- 6 344,000 times 2 is 688,000, right, more than
- ⁷ double?
- 8 A. I'll agree to that, yes.
- 9 Q. Now, you were contacted by Ms. Atwell
- ¹⁰ and asking you to check the validity of those
- orders in the very beginning of 2011, January,
- 12 correct?
- A. Got the dates on the e-mail.
- 14 Q. Yes, ma'am.
- 15 A. Okay.
- O. Very beginning of 2011, correct?
- 17 A. Yes, I see that.
- Q. And in 2011, the dosage units to this
- one store that you were contacted by -- about in
- ²⁰ January, the annual dosage units for just oxycodone
- ²¹ were 1.4 million.
- Do you see that?
- A. I see that number, yes.
- Q. Do you have any idea how large the

- 1 community, correct?
- ² MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- ³ BY THE WITNESS:
- 4 A. Again, I'm still not sure what your
- ⁵ question is.
- 6 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- ⁷ Q. Yes, ma'am. As part of your due
- 8 diligence, did you even look to see how many people
- ⁹ lived in this community that you were contacted
- ¹⁰ about in January '11 about 3271 bottles coming off
- 11 the shelves?
- 12 A. I personally did not --
- O. Yes, ma'am.
- A. -- look at the population. Quite
- ¹⁵ frankly, I would think that that would be -- do
- 16 more harm than good.
- As a pharmacist, I wouldn't want to turn
- away a patient just because they didn't live in the
- same city my store was in. I personally live in
- Chicago and I shop in a store in Park Ridge.
- So, if I looked at just the population
- 22 of each city, and I said I can only fill that many
- 23 prescriptions, I think we would be doing more harm
- 24 than good to our patient population.

- And that's why I referred her to Terry
- ² because he was in the area. He would know what
- 3 that store is doing and if they had patients that
- ⁴ they were serving from other areas.
- Q. So, the fact that when you looked, that
- 6 849,000 dosage units of oxycodone was given -- was
- ⁷ being dispensed into a town of 5,000 people would
- 8 not have caused Barb Martin any alarm in the
- 9 beginning of 2011?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 11 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. I wasn't looking at that data.
- 13 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Yes, ma'am, and that's not what I asked,
- 15 if you looked at it. We've already established you
- 16 didn't know that there was 5,000 people in that
- 17 community. What I asked was a little different.
- 18 If you had looked in the beginning of
- 19 2011 and you would have seen that 849,000 dosage
- ²⁰ units of oxycodone were being dispensed by
- 21 Walgreens where you had spent almost 25 years at
- 22 this point, would that have caused you any alarm?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 24 BY THE WITNESS:

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- A. I would need to know more history than
- ² just a couple of the numbers on a piece of paper.
- ³ BY MR. MOUGEY:
- 4 Q. And that's exactly the point of
- ⁵ performing due diligence, correct, Ms. Martin, is
- 6 that you gather information to make an educated
- ⁷ decision, correct?
- 8 A. And if I'm not capable of gathering that
- ⁹ information, I find other people that can.
- Q. So, when you told this jury earlier that
- 11 you were performing due diligence on stores, your
- 12 realm of expertise, your wheelhouse does not even
- 13 include Googling the city where the pharmacy is
- 14 located to see what the population is?
- A. Again, I don't see how that's relevant.
- 16 I wouldn't want to limit patients to only go to
- pharmacies in the city they live in.
- Q. Do you understand what the word
- 19 "systemic" means, Ms. Martin?
- A. I guess it depends in what context you
- 21 want to use the word.
- Q. Just systemic. Corporate-wide. Do you
- ²³ understand what "systemic" means?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.

- ¹ BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. I'm sorry?
- A. I understand what the word means. I'd
- 4 like to know in what context you're trying to use
- ⁵ it.
- Q. Turn to page 38 of 349 of this same
- ⁷ document. Paragraph No. 23. The context that I'm
- 8 referring to the use of the word "systemic" is
- ⁹ "Voluntary dispensing restrictions enacted either
- 10 in anticipation of" -- are you there?
- A. I'm sorry. I guess I'm -- because I
- 12 don't --
- Q. Let's do the bottom --
- A. You said page 48, right?
- Q. The bottom page numbers, 38 of 349.
- 16 A. I'm sorry.
- 17 Q. 38. That's okay.
- A. I turned to 48.
- O. Paragraph 23.
- ²⁰ A. Okay. I see 23.
- Q. "Voluntary dispensing restrictions
- ²² enacted either in anticipation of, or in reaction
- 23 to regulatory action, do not indicate to me that
- 24 the Respondent and its parent company have
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- 1 recognized and adequately reformed the systemic
- ² shortcomings discussed herein."
- 3 So, in that context, language from the
- 4 DEA about Walgreens' systemic shortcomings, what
- ⁵ does that mean to you, Ms. Martin?
- 6 MR. SWANSON: Object on foundation.
- 7 BY THE WITNESS:
- 8 A. It's not my responsibility to determine
- 9 what the DEA means. I left that up to our legal
- 10 department.
- 11 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Sitting here today in 2018, to this
- 13 jury, when I'm asking you what the word "systemic
- 14 shortcoming" means in this document from the DEA,
- shortesting means in this decement from the BE
- you don't have the wherewithal or the ability to
- tell me what that means?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 18 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. Again, I'm not comfortable making a
- 20 legal decision on a legal document.
- 21 BY MR. MOUGEY:

- Q. I'm asking you to tell us what the
- 23 meaning of a word, "systemic," is in a sentence.
 - You're not comfortable making that

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- 1 determination today?
- 2 MR. SWANSON: Objection; foundation.
- 3 BY THE WITNESS:
- 4 A. I'm not comfortable responding on a
- 5 legal document.
- 6 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- 7 Q. Yet you're telling this jury that from
- 8 the middle of 2008 until the end of 2012, you were
- 9 a material participant in developing Walgreens'
- 10 suspicious order monitoring policies and
- 11 procedures, correct?
- 12 A. I was one of a number of people involved
- 13 with the processes, yes.
- Q. You were one of a number of people who
- were charged with the objective of identifying and
- 16 reporting suspicious orders to the DEA, correct?
- A. I thought our objective was more coming
- 18 up with system enhancements. I wasn't involved
- 19 with the reporting part.
- MR. MOUGEY: Let me take a quick break and let
- 21 me review what I got left. How much time do we
- 22 have left?
- THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Got about 27 minutes.
- MR. MOUGEY: Thank you.

1 look into it and respond if required.

- MR. MOUGEY: That's fine. Thank you.
- 3 MR. SWANSON: Thanks.
- 4 EXAMINATION
- 5 BY MR. SWANSON:
- 6 Q. So, Ms. Martin, it's been a long day,
- 7 and I know you're tired; and I promise that I'm not
- 8 going to take a whole lot more of your time, but I
- 9 do have just a few questions that I hope I can ask
- and you can help clarify some questions that I had
- 11 from your earlier testimony.
- Earlier, actually for a good part of the
- afternoon today, Mr. Mougey went through several
- documents with you, memoranda, business requirement
- 15 documents, et cetera, that related to the
- 16 suspicious order monitoring system that you had
- 17 some involvement in working on.
- Do you recall that generally?
- 19 A. Yes.
- Q. And he focused a lot of his attention on
- 21 a specific word that was contained in those
- 22 reports, and that was "suspicious orders." Do you
- 23 remember that?
- 24 A. Yes.

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- THE VIDEOGRAPHER: We're going off the record
- 2 at 5:33.
- 3 (WHEREUPON, a recess was had
- 4 from 5:33 to 5:53 p.m.)
- 5 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: We're back on the record at
- 6 5:53.
- 7 MR. MOUGEY: I don't have any further
- 8 questions other than the issue of the performance
- 9 review. I just wanted a confirmation that if we
- 10 are not getting performance reviews in specific
- 11 years, does that mean that they don't exist or that
- 12 there is no reference to opiate-related performance
- 13 in that review.
- So, subject to that answer, because I
- 15 believe we're supposed to be receiving them prior,
- 16 72 hours prior to the depos, that's the only
- 17 caveat. I don't have any questions and don't
- anticipate a problem, but I would just appreciate
- 19 an answer.
- MR. SWANSON: Okay. So I don't have an answer
- 21 right now, as I told you. You understand. My
- 22 understanding is we have tried to answer that
- 23 question for you. If it hasn't been done to your
- 24 satisfaction, I can't speak to that but we will

- Q. And there were some back-and-forth
- ² between you and Mr. Mougey over whether that was a

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- ³ reference to an actual suspicious order or a
- 4 potential or possible suspicious order. Do you
- 5 recall that?
- 6 A. Yes.
- 7 Q. And can you tell us what your
- 8 understanding of that term "suspicious order" as it
- 9 was used in those business requirement documents
- 10 referred to?
- 11 A. Even though the document didn't use the
- word "potentially," that was what my belief was,
- 13 that we were looking for orders that had the
- 14 potential to be suspicious. But until we did more
- evaluations of those orders, we weren't sure
- whether they were suspicious or not.
- Q. And he pulled out or he showed you
- 8 during the course of the day a couple of different
- 19 reports, and I'd like to ask you about those now.
 - The first is, was marked Martin
- 21 Exhibit No. 2. Could you pull that out, please.
- A. Here I have it.

- Q. Okay. And is Martin Exhibit No. 2 one
- 24 of the reports that was generated by the system

- ¹ that you were asked questions about today?
- 2 A. Yes.
- Q. And if you look, it's a document dated
- ⁴ August 25 of 2009, right?
- 5 A. Correct.
- 6 Q. And in the top right corner, it says
- ⁷ "Suspicious Order," right?
- 8 A. Right. That's the name that we were
- ⁹ using.
- Q. Okay. And as you review Martin
- 11 Exhibit 2, is this a document that you -- well, let
- 12 me ask you first a prefatory question.
- Was this a document, Martin 2, a
- ¹⁴ document that was flagged by the system for you to
- 15 review?
- A. This item was flagged, yes.
- Q. If you look at Martin Exhibit 2, do you
- 18 consider this to be a suspicious order as you
- 19 understand that term?
- A. I do not consider this to be a
- 21 suspicious order. My reasoning for that is that
- 22 the suggested order quantity and the ordered
- ²³ quantity are both 3. So, there was no changes that
- 24 the store made from what our system wanted to

- ¹ a suspicious order?
 - A. I do not consider this order to be
 - ³ suspicious either. While the suggested quantity,

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- 4 the system order was zero, there was an order by a
- ⁵ store user with a user ID of Zulic that ordered a
- ⁶ quantity of 2. This is equal to the tolerance
- 7 limit, so I would not consider this suspicious.
- They could have been punching this order
- ⁹ manually for a number of different reasons. The
- first one that would come to my mind would be the
- ¹¹ fact that it's possible without seeing any other
- 12 different information that this store never had an
- order history in the past. If they hadn't had it
- before and a new patient presented a prescription,
- 15 the system wouldn't know to order it. They would
- ¹⁶ have to order it manually.
- Q. So, even though Martin Exhibit 20 was a
- 18 report that was flagged by the system marked as a
- ⁹ suspicious order, you don't consider this to be in
- ²⁰ fact a suspicious order?
- A. I do not think this is a suspicious
- ²² order.
- Q. Was it flagged as a potential suspicious
- 24 order?

- ¹ order. And then that number 3 is well below the
- ² tolerance limit of 5.
- Q. So, even though Martin Exhibit 2 was a
- 4 report that was flagged by the system, it said
- ⁵ "Suspicious Order" on it, you don't consider this
- 6 to be a suspicious order?
- 7 A. No.
- 8 Q. And then the only other document he
- 9 showed you a report that he showed you was Martin
- 10 Exhibit 20. Can you pull that one out, please.
- 11 A. Might be faster if I just look on the
- 12 screen.
- Q. Okay. That's fine. Thank you.
- This is another report that Mr. Mougey
- showed you, again, with a title or a -- the words
- ¹⁶ on there "Suspicious Order."
- Do you see that in the upper right
- 18 corner?
- 19 A. Yes.
- Q. And was this a report that was flagged
- 21 by the system that Mr. Mougey asked you about
- 22 today?
- 23 A. Yes.
- Q. Do you consider Martin Exhibit 20 to be

- A. It was flagged for our review, which is
- ² why I kept using the term "potentially suspicious."
- 3 MR. SWANSON: Thank you. That clarified it
- 4 for me. I don't have any more questions.
- 5 MR. MOUGEY: I have a couple follow-up
- 6 questions, Ms. Martin.
- 7 FURTHER EXAMINATION
- 8 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- ⁹ Q. So, how many years did you review these
- 10 reports?
- 11 A. Somewhere between 2 and 4.
- Q. Somewhere between 2 and 4. So,
- beginning of 2009 to late 2012, right?
 - A. Middle 2012 when the Rx Integrity team
- ¹⁵ came and there were various iterations of this form
- 16 as well.
- Q. Now, what was produced out of your file
- was about 22 or 23 of these suspicious order
- 19 reports. Do you have any idea why you had 22 or 23
- ²⁰ of these reports isolated?
- A. I have no idea why I chose to kept
- 22 those.
- Q. You just happened to keep 22 or 23 of
- 24 these reports?

- 1 A. They were probably random documents that
- ² I kept just to have for some kind of reference
- ³ purpose.
- 4 Q. Do you know where the rest of them are?
- 5 A. I --
- 6 MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- ⁷ BY THE WITNESS:
- 8 A. I really don't know. I mean, I don't
- 9 know if I printed all of them when I looked at
- 10 them. I didn't always need to print them.
- 11 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. You don't recall whether you printed
- 13 them or whether your practice was to look at them
- 14 on your computer?
- A. Most of the time I would try to look at
- 16 them on the computer without printing them.
- Q. Is there a reason why you happened to
- 18 print these handful?
- A. Some of the ones I know I printed more
- 20 is when I was working with other people so we could
- 21 sit down and go over the document and maybe pull up
- 22 other screens so we had several different frames of
- 23 reference.
- Q. Is it fair to say that the Walgreens

- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- ² BY THE WITNESS:
- ³ A. I don't know if other people have forms.

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- ⁴ That's what I had.
- ⁵ BY MR. MOUGEY:
- 6 Q. I didn't ask other people. I said
- ⁷ you've printed off 22 or 23. That's all you have.
- 8 That's the only evidence you have of four years of
- ⁹ looking at those reports. You have 22 or 23 of
- 10 them, correct?
- 11 A. That's all I kept. I don't know why I
- 12 kept them.
- Q. Did you testify today about the -- how
- 14 you selected the sampling of the reports you looked
- 15 at?
- A. It was just random.
- Q. It was random?
- 18 A. There might have been times that someone
- ¹⁹ asked me to look at something specific. But most
- of the time if I didn't get a request to look at a
- 21 store, it was just random.
- Q. Was there a pool that you could isolate
- ²³ all of these suspicious orders for any given day?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.

- 1 suspicious order monitoring system flagged tens and
- ² tens and tens of thousands of orders during the
- ³ period that you -- during the period that you
- 4 happened to be reviewing samples of them?
- ⁵ A. I wouldn't be able to quantify how many
- 6 orders it was.
- ⁷ Q. Just ballpark it. I mean, how many are
- 8 you -- tens and tens of thousands?
- 9 A. I'm not comfortable providing just a
- 10 guess.
- O. We looked at the internal document that
- 12 had 104,000 specific orders on it, correct?
- MR. SWANSON: Object to form.
- 14 BY THE WITNESS:
- A. That form had -- it used the word
- 16 "order" and "line." So, it might not just have
- ¹⁷ been orders. Like I said, lines can be within an
- 18 order.
- 19 BY MR. MOUGEY:
- 20 Q. It had 104,000, correct?
- A. Yeah, I think that's what, over 100.
- Q. And you printed off 22. That's what
- 23 Walgreens has is 22 or 23 of those reports,
- 24 correct?

- ¹ BY THE WITNESS:
- A. I don't understand your question. I'm
- ³ sorry.
- ⁴ BY MR. MOUGEY:
- Q. Was there -- how did you figure out
- 6 where to look? Where were the suspicious orders?
- A. You mean that report, where did it
- 8 reside?
- 9 O. Yes.
- 10 A. It was on the ADR4 screens, a computer
- program that Walgreens has.
- Q. But the documents that you provided were
- printoffs, and they were given to us as a pdf so I
- don't know what the report looks like.
- What does the report on your computer
- 16 look like?
- A. It wasn't a report. I logged into a
- screen, and I would -- I could pull up information.
- Q. All right. So, how would you pull them
 - out? Would they be on a spreadsheet? Would they
- 21 be on a -- organized --
- A. It looked exactly like that report.
- 23 That's --
- Q. And you would just scroll through one by

Page 366 1 one by one that day --I, CORINNE T. MARUT, C.S.R. No. 84-1968, 2 A. Yeah. 2 Registered Professional Reporter and Certified Shorthand Reporter, do hereby certify: -- and look at the sample? That previous to the commencement of the A. I would select random stores and look at examination of the witness, the witness was duly sworn to testify the whole truth concerning the 5 their orders. matters herein; That the foregoing deposition transcript Q. And you don't have any recollection was reported stenographically by me, was thereafter reduced to typewriting under my personal direction and constitutes a true record of the testimony given and the proceedings had; ⁷ sitting here today what percentage of the orders flagged as suspicious you would look at? That the said deposition was taken before me at the time and place specified; A. 10 O. So, you don't know how many you looked That the reading and signing by the witness of the deposition transcript was agreed upon as stated herein; 11 at, right? 12 That I am not a relative or employee or attorney or counsel, nor a relative or employee of such attorney or counsel for any of the parties 13 Q. You don't know what percentage you hereto, nor interested directly or indirectly in 14 looked at, correct? the outcome of this action. 15 Correct. 16 You don't know where they're kept, 14 CORINNE T. MARUT, Certified Reporter 15 17 correct? (The foregoing certification of this transcript does not apply to any reproduction of the same by any means, unless under 18 You mean --19 Q. The reports today. Where are all the the direct control and/or supervision of the ²⁰ reports that were flagged as suspicious? You don't certifying reporter.) 21 know where they're kept? 19 20 22 A. I don't know where that --21 23 MR. SWANSON: Object to form. 22 23 24 BY THE WITNESS: 2.4 Page 367 Page 369 A. -- that is. INSTRUCTIONS TO WITNESS ² BY MR. MOUGEY: 3 Q. You don't why you printed off the 22 or Please read your deposition over 4 '3 that you printed off, correct? 4 carefully and make any necessary corrections. You A. I don't remember. should state the reason in the appropriate space on Q. And you have no criteria for which the errata sheet for any corrections that are made. ⁷ sampling of the reports you looked at, correct? After doing so, please sign the errata MR. SWANSON: Object to form, mischaracterizes. sheet and date it. BY THE WITNESS: You are signing same subject to the 10 A. I wasn't asked to come up with any changes you have noted on the errata sheet, which 11 criteria. I was told to look at stores. will be attached to your deposition. 12 MR. MOUGEY: Thank you. I don't have anything It is imperative that you return the 13 else. original errata sheet to the deposing attorney 14 MR. SWANSON: You say you're done? within thirty (30) days of receipt of the 15 MR. MOUGEY: Yes. deposition transcript by you. If you fail to do 16 MR. SWANSON: Nothing more from me. so, the deposition transcript may be deemed to be 17 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: We're going off the record accurate and may be used in court. 18 at 6:05 p.m. 18 19 19 (Time Noted: 6:05 p.m.) 20 20 FURTHER DEPONENT SAITH NAUGHT. 21 21 22 2.2 23 23 24 24

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